

### ITALY RAINS BOTH TRACTS AND BOMBS ON ETHIOPIA

**Fascist Flyers Drop Pamphlets Urging Revolt in Gojjam Province—Explosives Sent to Ground in Active War Sectors.**

**5000 SOLDIERS MOVE ON REBELS**

**Situation Termed 'Dangerous' in Addis Ababa—Meanwhile, Gen. Badoglio's Forces Remain Entrenched at Makale.**

ADDIS ABABA, Jan. 8.—Italian planes have flown over northwest Gojjam Province for the last three days, dropping tracts "inviting" the population to revolt against the central government, an official Ethiopian communiqué said today. Meanwhile the rain of bombs continues in the active war sectors. Authoritative sources said the situation in that province, termed "dangerous" last Friday, was no better now, although an appeal for loyalty from the Abuna (High Bishop) of Ethiopia's Coptic Christian Church was circulated through the province.

Five thousand soldiers have arrived in Gojjam, charged with putting down rebellious followers of the nephew of Ras Hailu, former Provincial Governor who was deposed in 1933 on charges of intrigue with the Italians, and numerous clashes have been reported. This was the first time the government had commented officially on alleged Italian activities in the Province northwest of the capital, although informed sources had said earlier that Italian planes were attempting to stir the natives to rebellion.

The government charged that pamphlets were dropped by Italian planes over five other provinces, including Tigre, Wollo and Lasta, as well as Gojjam. Another communiqué announced Emperor Haile Selassie posthumously decorated Gunnar Lundstrom, Swedish Red Cross worker who died after an Italian air bombardment on the southern front at Dolo, with the Croix de Guerre.

**Mussolini Likely to Send 100,000 More Men to Africa.**

ROME, Jan. 8.—Premier Mussolini may send 100,000 more men into East African campaigns for conquest of Ethiopia, unofficial but informed Fascist sources disclosed today. On the Northern Ethiopian front the forces commanded personally by Marshal Pietro Badoglio have remained entrenched behind their main lines at Makale, only 70 miles south of Eritrea, more than three months after the invasion was begun.

An official Italian communiqué charged today that Ethiopian forces had brought Red Cross protection to Italian airplanes. "In the region of Alamata, south of Lake Asciangi," the communiqué said, "the Ethiopian warriors, as soon as they saw our airplanes, spread on the ground three great red crosses and gathered around them."

South of Makale, the announcement also said, "our artillery defeated armed concentrations on Amba Adaram."

"In patrol encounters mentioned in Monday's communiqué, the enemy left 22 dead on the field."

Five new troop divisions probably will be created in addition to the fresh units already organized, official sources said.

Four thousand Alpine troops already are en route across the Mediterranean aboard the Conte Grande, and 2500 Alpine artillery men sailed yesterday on the Conte Rosso to join Italy's East African forces, estimated at upward of 250,000 men.

**Italy Again Asks League for Commission of Inquiry.**

GENEVA, Jan. 8.—Ethiopia, accusing Italy of continued employment of poison gas in a policy of "merciless extermination" of the Ethiopian people, urged the League of Nations today to dispatch a commission of inquiry to the scene of the war.

League officials announced that the request would be handled by the League Council, the executive body, which meets Jan. 20. Ethiopia's protest declared that, despite what it called universal repudiation, caused by the bombing.

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### Italians Completely Bunkered In Northern Ethiopia, Declares British General in War Zone

**Authority on Tank Warfare, John F. C. Fuller, Says Fascists Have No Chance of Reaching Goal.**

By KARL H. VON WIEGAND.

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KHARTOUM, Egypt, Jan. 8.—

"The Italians are completely bunkered in Northern Ethiopia and there is not a chance of their achieving their avowed objective, as things now stand," declared Major-General John Frederick Charles Fuller, British military expert and one of the world's greatest authorities on tank warfare, told me this yesterday as we flew from Asmara, Eritrea, to Khartoum.

Gen. Fuller had been on the Italian northern front and at Italian headquarters for the last three months, as observer. He is now returning to London. He said: "The Italians are wholly on the defensive now along the entire right flank, stretching from Aksum to Makale."

"As near as I could figure out, the line of the Italian right flank, which rested on the Takkaze River, has fallen back to about 20 miles south of Mares River."

Gen. Fuller, who has been a great admirer of Premier Mussolini and a strong supporter of the Sir Oswald Mosley's British Fascist movement, said he was greatly disillusioned by what he saw on the Italian front and behind it.

He declared a rigid censorship in Asmara made it impossible to give a true picture of the military situation in which the Italians now find themselves.

Impressions of my three-day involuntary stay in Asmara, due to failure of promised plane connections in the Eritrean capital while I was flying from Djibouti, tended to confirm much that Gen. Fuller said, although my observations were necessarily brief and superficial.

It did give me opportunity, as the first correspondent from the Ethiopian side of the front also to get a glimpse of Asmara and the Italian situation, to make some comparisons.

On the whole, I found no diminishing of spirit, enthusiasm, order and confidence in the ultimate conquest of Ethiopia among the Italians, but some of the better-informed frankly expressed deep concern over the danger of European complications, plus the unexpected stiffening of Ethiopian resistance.

**Fighting Gets More Ruthless.** With the military situation such as it is, it was said there was little prospect for a new big Italian drive southward for any great distance. First the Italians intend to clean up the steady Ethiopian infiltration of guerrilla bands behind their lines. It follows that fighting is becoming more ruthless and little quarter is shown by either side.

Few prisoners are being taken. There are about 250,000 Italians on the northern front and behind it. It is estimated that 160,000 soldiers are on the front. Of these, 30,000 are native troops and 40,000 Fascist Blackshirts. The rest are regular army men.

Engaged in transportation, communication and the bringing up of supplies are about 40,000 men. About 50,000 are building roads.

It is estimated that 5000 motor trucks are aiding the northern army, but many of them are in bad need of repair.

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**WAR VETERANS RAID 'COMMUNIST COLLEGE'**

**Teachers of Seattle School Arrested by Police; No Action Against Attackers.**

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 8.—Leaders of a "communist college," raided last night by about 150 self-identified war veterans, were being held today for an investigation by immigration officers. None of the raiders was arrested.

Five persons, said to be teachers in the school, including Morris Rapoport, Pacific Northwest organizer for the Communist party, were arrested by police on orders of Mayor Charles Smith, who had forbidden the opening of the Communist school.

A few minutes after the police visited the classroom, the raiders stormed the place, just as Wesley Randall, said to be dean of the college, was opening the first classes. Swinging clubs and black-jacks, the raiders forced the students down two flights of stairs and into the street. Several of the students were injured. One of them, Albert Andrews, was arrested after the raid, when he appeared at the City Hospital for treatment of a head wound. He was held for investigation by the immigration officers.

**CLOUDY, LIGHT RAIN LIKELY TONIGHT AND TOMORROW**

**THE TEMPERATURES.**

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6 a. m. — 35 2 p. m. — 37  
7 a. m. — 35 3 p. m. — 38  
8 a. m. — 35 4 p. m. — 38

Yesterday's high, 36 (3:45 p. m.); low, 29 (7:15 a. m.).

**Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity:** Cloudy tonight and tomorrow, probably some light rain; low temperature tonight about 35.

**Source:** Cloudy, snow or rain probable in north portion tonight and tomorrow; somewhat warmer in northwest portion tonight. Illinois: Cloudy, probable snow in north portion, and rain or snow in central portion tonight and tomorrow; not much change in temperature.

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**1650 ITALIAN DESERTERS ENTER AUSTRIA, PAPER SAYS**

**They Are Germans From Southern Tyrol Who Resent Alleged 'Persecution' by Fascists.**

VIENNA, Jan. 8.—The newspaper Suedtiroler Heimat, in an article purporting to describe the "persecution" of the German population in the Southern Tyrol by Italian military authorities, said today that 1650 South Tyroleans had deserted the Italian army and fled to Austria. The newspaper said 150 of the fugitives were in Austria and the rest had made their way to Germany.

It added that the Fascist Government was taking repressive measures against families of the deserters and their relatives. The newspaper formerly was published in Innsbruck, but after outspoken criticism of Italian policies was forced to move to Switzerland. It now is circulated secretly in Austria.

The Austrian Chancellery recently estimated that deserters coming from Italy into Austria did not exceed 500. Reports from Maribor have placed the number reaching Yugoslavia at 2000.

**PLANE RESCUES FIVE AT SEA**

**Takes Off Passengers on Disabled Boat Near Florida.**

KEY WEST, Fla., Jan. 8.—Five persons, rescued by a Coast Guard seaplane, recuperated here today after 26 hours at sea in a small disabled cruiser.

Sailing beside the drifting cruiser, the ambulance plane Axtor took off Maj. E. G. Fruwield, U. S. A., and Mrs. Fruwield of Columbus, O.; Fred O. Eberhardt, custodian of Port Jefferson, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert C. Manuey of Key West. Two Negro members of the crew remained with the disabled 26-foot cruiser to await a tow.

**LIFEGUARDS RESCUE SENATOR**

**David I. Walsh Goes Down Second Time in Florida Water.**

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Jan. 8.—Rescue of Senator David I. Walsh of Massachusetts after he had gone beyond his depth in the ocean here was disclosed today.

Two Hancock Beach lifeguards, Ralph Overton of Asheville, N. C., and Norman Ball of St. Louis, were credited with pulling Walsh from danger after he had gone down for the second time while bathing in the surf yesterday. Walsh was quoted by Overton as saying: "That was the closest approach to death I ever had." Walsh came here to recuperate from a cold.

**Hoover Applauded at New York.**

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Former President Hoover arrived in New York today for a routine directors' meeting. Waving his hat and smiling at the applause of a crowd which had gathered in the Grand Central Terminal, Hoover walked briskly to a waiting limousine and was driven to his hotel. He said he would be in New York "two or three days."

### ADMINISTRATION LOOKING FOR NEW FARM PROGRAM

**Roosevelt Confers With Wallace and House Committee Prepares Five Tentative Plans.**

**CHAIRMAN INVITES 'ANY SUGGESTIONS'**

**Domestic Allotment, Export Debutenture and State Adjustment Proposals on the List.**

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—New Deal leaders speeded efforts today to find a new farm program. President Roosevelt and Secretary of Agriculture Wallace discussed at lunch what to do about the Supreme Court knockout of the AAA.

The House Agriculture Committee, summoned by Chairman Jones (Dem.), Texas, one of those who has conferred with Roosevelt—directed the drafting of five tentative plans for consideration. They were:

1. The domestic allotment plan.  
2. The export debutenture plan.  
3. Appropriations to various states on condition that such states establish an adjustment program similar to the AAA.

4. Appropriations for a land-leasing program.  
5. Conditional appropriations to individual farmers who comply with the conditions.

**Jones' Comment.** "We feel," Jones said after the closed session, "that ways can be found under the limits set out in the decision to fashion a farm program that will at least in a measure offset the disadvantages which the farmers have under the national tariff system."

He said he did not know just what the committee would get down to work on the tentative proposals, but that it would be as soon as possible.

Asked if any of the suggestions discussed today originated with the AAA, Jones only replied: "We will welcome any suggestions from any source. We expect to have before the committee various methods that have been suggested and from these, after careful consideration, to prepare the best measure possible to accomplish the desired end."

**Roper at White House.** Secretary of Commerce Roper, arriving late at a press conference from a White House call, declined to comment specifically on the decision, but said: "We are going forward and methods of meeting present and future needs will be found and found co-operatively. We are not going to build this country in the interest of one segment or two segments, but in the interest of America."

He said he could not interpret the effect of the AAA decision on foreign trade.

First indications of the break-up of the AAA organization appeared today in hints from some officials that 1000 to 1500 employees may be dropped within a few days. These employees, classified as "temporary," have been working mainly with processing tax and benefit payment records. The total of AAA workers is approximately 6500.

The whole AAA staff is working without pay, the Treasury having stopped AAA checks Monday night. **New Deal Critics Barred.**

In a sharply worded telegram to Chester C. Davis, AAA Administrator, barred Dan D. Casement, Kansas wheat farmer and New Deal critic from the meeting here Friday and Saturday to consider a substitute for AAA.

Davis' telegram said: "Neither the so-called 'Farmers' Independent Council of America' nor any other affiliates or representatives of the American Liberty League or of the big processor groups are invited to the agricultural conference here Friday and Saturday. This is a meeting of farmers and their representatives."

A bill to appropriate \$300,000,000 to pay all outstanding AAA contracts "wherein compliance has been made by the farmer" was introduced today by Representative Clifford R. Hope of Kansas, ranking minority member of the House Agricultural Committee. He said he introduced the bill after consulting "with a number of the Republican members of Congress" in order "to insure that the Government will maintain the sanctity of its contracts."

**BUILDING FALLS; 4 KILLED**

**Dismantled Structure in Montreal Collapses on Boys at Play.**

MONTREAL, Jan. 8.—Four boys were killed today when the walls of an abandoned building on Coleraine street collapsed.

Police recovered the body of Douglas Norman, 9 years old, and continued the search for the bodies of his playmates.

### Morgan Partners Talk it Over at Hearing



FROM left, THOMAS W. LAMONT, GEORGE WHITNEY and J. PIERPONT MORGAN, in conference during their appearance today before the Senate Munitions Investigating Committee.

### JACKSON DAY ADDRESS BY ROOSEVELT TONIGHT

**Democratic Leaders Gather in Washington for \$50-a-Plate Banquet.**

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Democratic party leaders came to Washington from all over the country today to help President Roosevelt formally launch his campaign for re-election tonight at the national Jackson day dinner.

President Roosevelt's words will be carried by short and long wave radio to diners in Puerto Rico and Hawaii and even vessels on the high seas.

In contrast to former Jackson day dinners, at which there have been many speakers, the President will make the only address tonight. He will be introduced by Postmaster-General Farley, the Democratic chairman.

As he addresses similar gatherings from coast to coast from the banquet table here at 10 p. m., the President will be surrounded by his Cabinet, most Democratic members of the Senate and House, members of the National Committee and other prominent party officials.

But almost as conspicuous as the list of guests will be the names of absentees. Alfred E. Smith, once the Democratic presidential candidate, will not be there. Probably John W. Davis, another one-time party nominee, will not. Smith and Davis are members of the American Liberty League, which repeated its charge today that Farley, in selling tickets to the dinner to Federal officeholders, violated the law.

The dinner tonight will be followed tomorrow by a meeting of the National Committee to select the time and place for the national convention. Philadelphia and Chicago are the leading contestants.

More than 1600 tickets for the dinner here have been sold at \$50 each. Democratic officials said more than 250,000 Democrats would attend the 2000 dinners being held elsewhere.

President Roosevelt's address at the Jackson day dinner in Washington will be broadcast over radio stations KSD, KMOX and KWK in St. Louis and WTMV in East St. Louis from 9 to 9:30 o'clock tonight.

**340-POUND MAN HANGS SELF**

**Prisoner's Note Blames Wife for 'Last Round-Up.'**

By the Associated Press.

SYCAMORE, Ill., Jan. 8.—A 340-pound prisoner, identified by Sheriff O. M. Larson as E. P. Jersig, 50 years old, of Chillicothe, Mo., hanged himself in his county jail cell today with the rawhide thong he used as a belt. He left a note addressed to his wife in Chicago saying "you sent me to the last round-up."

Jersig, who Larson said had served a term in the Ohio State penitentiary, arrived Friday, representing himself as a wealthy cattle buyer. He was arrested Sunday charged with uttering a fraudulent check for \$15.

### BUENOS AIRES STRIKE ENDS AFTER KILLING OF 5 IN RIOTS

**Complete Order Restored, Police Say; 100 Persons Taken in Custody.**

By the Associated Press.

BUENOS AIRES, Jan. 8.—Buenos Aires bus drivers and several other workers' organizations decreed an end to their attempted general strike today after a day of violence in which five persons were killed.

President Agustin P. Justo of Argentina interrupted his vacation to fly back to the capital, and mounted police, firemen, Federal guards and foot policemen took control of all suburban strategic points during the 24-hour strike in sympathy with 20,000 stone masons who walked out three months ago, seeking higher wages.

Police announced complete order had been restored. Three policemen were shot to death in the suburb of Villa Urquiza in a clash with rioters who attempted to halt trains and buses. An army conscript was fatally injured when he was struck on the head with a stone while riding on a street car. A fifth victim died last night.

Rioters burned 12 buses, three milk wagons, five street cars, several railway cars, three city garbage wagons and four food carts. They also removed some of the rails of the Central Buenos Aires and Pacific Railway Lines.

**HOGS 10 TO 25 CENTS LOWER THAN YESTERDAY ON EAST SIDE**

**Opened 25 Cents Higher in Light Trading; Flour Prices Down From Saturday.**

An early increase in hog prices at the National Stockyards was wiped out by late buying, in which prices fell 10 to 25 cents below yesterday's late market.

The market opened 25 cents higher, in light trading, following an advance of 85 cents yesterday, occasioned by the Supreme Court decision invalidating the processing taxes. The early top was \$10.50 a hundred pounds. Late packers bought at \$9.90 down to 25 cents lower than Tuesday's closing prices.

The advance of yesterday absorbed a portion of the processing tax of \$2.25 a hundred pounds formerly paid by packers.

The flour market also affected by invalidating of AAA, was down \$1.10 a barrel today from Saturday. St. Louis millers quoted a top price of \$7 a barrel.

**\$20,212,161 IN U. S. TAXES RECOVERED FROM VIOLATORS**

**50 Convictions Obtained; 89 Federal Employees Are Fired and 12 Prosecuted.**

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—The Internal Revenue Bureau, pursuing its campaign against tax law violators, recommended prosecution of 159 criminal cases and secured 50 convictions and \$20,212,161 in additional taxes and penalties in the last fiscal year.

The bureau's annual report showed today that 147 charges were preferred against its own employees. These resulted in the dismissal of 89 employees and the prosecution of 12, 11 of whom were convicted. Rewards of \$43,852 were paid for information which led to the collection of additional taxes.

### FINDS COLLECTION FIRM HAS PRACTICED LAW

**Commissioner for State Supreme Court Urges Fining of C. S. Dudley & Co.**

By the Jefferson City Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 8.—A finding that C. S. Dudley & Co., Inc., 1218 Olive street, St. Louis, operating a general collection and adjustment business, had engaged in the practice of law in violation of State laws, and had usurped corporate rights and privileges, was made by Duval Smith of St. Joseph, special commissioner in an outsider suit filed against the company by Attorney-General McKittick, in a report filed today with the Missouri Supreme Court.

Smith recommended that the company be fined \$1 and costs by the Supreme Court, and ordered to desist from the alleged illegal practice. He did not recommend ouster of the company.

The quo warranto proceeding to oust the company for alleged usurpation of charter privileges was filed in the Supreme Court last September by the Attorney-General, at the request of Boyle G. Clark of Columbia, general chairman of the bar committees appointed by the Missouri Supreme Court to enforce its rules for the regulation of the practice of law.

The charges of usurpation of charter privileges were based on alleged illegal practice of law by the company, in collection of accounts for clients.

Smith was appointed special commissioner by the Supreme Court and recently held hearings in St. Louis. His report to the court, filed today, will be taken up later by the court.

"Upon the pleadings and from the agreed statement of facts," Smith said, "the special commissioner holds that the respondent (the company) has usurped rights and privileges not conferred upon it or warranted by law, in that it has engaged in law business and the practice of law, in violation of the statutes of this State and in violation of the accepted definitions of the practice of law and law business."

"Because of the apparent good faith of all parties concerned, and being uninfluenced by the conduct of any law agency other than the respondent and further, since light is being sought on what respondent can and cannot do in the conduct of its business," Smith said his recommendation of penalties was limited to a nominal fine of \$1 and costs and an order to discontinue the alleged illegal practices.

**TOTAL ECLIPSE OF THE MOON**

**Not Visible in Continental U. S. Except in Alaska.**

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—A total eclipse of the moon not visible in any part of the continental United States except Alaska began today at 11:23 a. m.

It ended at 1:21 p. m. The eclipse was visible generally in the northeastern part of the Atlantic Ocean, Europe, parts of Africa, Madagascar, Asia, the Indian Ocean, Australia, Polynesia, the Western part of the Pacific Ocean, Alaska, Northwestern Canada and the Arctic Ocean.

### 900 FIRMS HAD STAKE IN WAR BEFORE U.S. ENTERED

**American Interest in Allies' Cause Linked at Senate Hearing With Huge War Orders Distributed by Morgan & Co.**

**BANK URGED ARMS PLANTS TO EXPAND**

**When Britain Threatened to Cancel Contract in 1916, Financier Warned Business Would Be 'Seriously Disturbed.'**

By PAUL Y. ANDERSON, A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Long before the United States entered the World War, America, business had become vitally interested in the Allies' cause, because of the enormous war orders placed with approximately 900 American firms by J. P. Morgan & Co.

How Morgan's, acting as the British purchasing agent, distributed these juicy plums, was described at today's session of the Senate munitions investigation.

Morgan's, the evidence showed, were pressing American arms makers in 1915 to expand plant capacity enormously to handle British and Russian orders. But in the following year Britain sent a notice to cancel orders for 1,800,000 American rifles. Two years of experience had taught the Allies that what they needed was machine guns. At that time, however, the Russians would have been glad to get the rifles when the British started to cancel some American orders. John Pierpont Morgan served a personal warning that American business would be "seriously disturbed" and rendered "uneasy by the British action."

In the draft of a cablegram intended for the eyes of the British Munitions Ministry, Morgan's warned that "important and influential interests" were interested in the munitions companies affected by the cancellations.

"Didn't you mean to tell the British that they were monkeying with a company that was a little too big for them?" Rauschenbush asked. Thomas W. Lamont, Morgan partner disagreed.

"We were dealing with our London partners," he testified, "and we don't finance our partners. If we say something



### Military Preparations in Southern France Increase —Fleet Maneuvers Off Corsica Jan. 20.

...surd for Roosevelt to revive the Monroe Doctrine of European non-interference in American affairs, while setting himself up as a judge of the regimes he defines as autocratic." This newspaper concluded, however, "The great mass of American people, which caused the failure of Roosevelt's despotic attempt, against any European entanglements."

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—Associated Press Wirephoto.  
**T**HE Detroit priest talked with President Roosevelt for 20 minutes today. He said the conversation was "entirely social" and that the question whether he would support Roosevelt for re-election was not discussed.

## He Declines Also to Elucidate Statement Congress Could Find Means to Protect Own Prerogatives

Another reporter observed that some interpreters had read the paragraph to mean that the Constitution would be an issue in the '36 presidential campaign. The reply was that the President could not comment on interpretations. Again the instruction was to read in the language of the paragraph. The President left no doubt that he did

## AIRPORT RADIO RULES REVISED

Stations Ordered to Maintain "Listening Watch" for Inland Craft.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—As a safety precaution the Federal Communications Commission ordered all airport stations today to maintain "a continuous listening watch" on radio calls from "inland aircraft."

Unless specifically exempted, the stations also must "be prepared to render communication services at any hour of the day or night."

Other technical changes were affected in regulations governing airport stations. The order is effective Feb. 15.

nye and Clark of the committee who would embargo loans, credits and sales of war supplies to belligerents in present and future wars, as a means of preserving American neutrality, are trying to show that American loans had a great deal to do with drawing America into the

"Harumph, humph!" Morgan boomed. "Certainly I did, sir. I don't issue personal statements unless I have written them, myself." He seemed more surprised than offended. He is not easily upset.

**Hearing Hall Jammed.**

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HARRY E. WILKEN, Sr.**



**J. S. FINCH & CO., INC., SCHENLEY, PA.**

Lusitania note to Germany, asserting "fundamental" rights of the United States. It approved turning the information over to "authorities." One telegram specifically designated the British Chancellor of the Exchequer as the one to receive the information.

**Cable From "Morgan."**  
Another cablegram, dated June 15, 1915, signed "Morgan" and sent

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tion, \$40,330,000; Hercules Powder, \$68,946,468; Hudson Metal Products Co., \$32,187,500; Inland Steel Co., \$3,400,119; New England Westing-

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It was 3 a. m. on the day before the crew was to be paid when Boyog started to carry out his plot. The sea was heavy and the weather stormy. Of the 1100 members of

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overboard, was found on deck  
where Boyog indicated.

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**40 REJECT LOYALTY OATH**

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By the Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Victor, P.

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## Charges at Deposition Hearing That Anderson Added to Turmoil by Unfair Accusations.

"I eliminated 11 or 12 nurses and replaced them with attendants. I watched the drugs close-

There are fewer than 100 patients in the hospital now, aren't they?" asked Associate Prosecuting Attorney John Wolfe. "No, we have never been fewer than 100."

"Don't you think the hospital might be in better shape if it were out of politics?" asked Anderson. "Think it's out of politics now," said Dr. Sheahan. "Yes," interposed Wolfe, "you agree with the County Court, don't you?" "I appointed a

staff members—discharge of  
and their replacement by at-  
tending nurses—he asserted he considered  
nurses more capable of determining  
the need for more nurses than members  
of the hospital staff.

“The hospital members are not in a po-  
sition to judge,” he said. “A man on  
the staff works 12 hours a day can see  
the need for more nurses going on much better than



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## DR. E. L. SHEAHAN DEFENDS FIRING OF HOSPITAL NURSES

Superintendent Says He  
Was Better Able to Judge  
Their Efficiency Than  
Staff Members.

### ASSERTS ECONOMIES CAUSED COMPLAINTS

Charges at Deposition Hearing  
That Anderson Added  
to Turmoil by Unfair Accusations.

Dr. Edwin L. Sheahan, Superintendent of St. Louis County Hospital and defendant in an ouster suit filed by Prosecuting Attorney C. Arthur Anderson, testifying at a deposition hearing at Clayton yesterday, defended his administration and charged that much of the turmoil at the hospital was due to unfair accusations by Anderson.

The Superintendent had been subpoenaed by Anderson as a witness in the ouster suit, which alleged "willful neglect of duty" and which was filed after 24 members of the hospital medical staff had resigned because of "too much politics" in the administration of the institution. Dr. Sheahan consented to the filing of the suit, in order to acquaint the public with conditions during his incumbency.

Tells of Economies.  
Dr. Sheahan testified that many of the complaints against him were due to his efforts to reduce expenses at the hospital. "When I took office a year ago I was told by the County Court that the county was in financial straits and that I was to economize wherever possible," he said.

"I eliminated 11 or 12 nurses who replaced them with attendants. I watched the drugs closely and cut down on purchases. I called all department heads together and told them to cut their forces where they could."

"We tried to do away with free hospitalization in obstetrical cases for women who had more than one baby. Such women could have babies at home, and we employed private physicians to handle their cases."

"The first few months the expense of operating the hospital was \$228 a month and altogether the combined expense of the hospital and Health Department was \$500."

The number of patients in the hospital was reduced from about 100 at the time he took charge to about 140, he testified.

"There are fewer than 100 patients in the hospital now, aren't there?" Dr. Sheahan asked. "No, there have never been fewer than 100."

"Well, in spite of these economy measures, isn't it a fact that the cost per day per patient has increased 6 cents a day?" asked the lawyer.

Dr. Sheahan replied: "Well, I don't know for sure, but if that's all it had increased, I'd be a wonderful superintendent."

"Why?" "Because the cost of food has gone up 20 per cent, the cost of instruments 40 per cent and of supplies 30 per cent."

At the opening of his examination, Dr. Sheahan testified he was graduated from Washington University in 1908 and had practiced medicine since that time. He said he was now inactive on the staffs of DePaul Hospital and City Sanatorium and formerly was on the staffs of St. Mary's Hospital and St. Vincent's Hospital.

Duties of Staff Members.  
"What is your idea of the work of staff members?" Wolfe asked. "To visit the patients, supervise the internes and operate."

"What are the duties of the heads of the staff services?" "Well, they have very little to do except make recommendations and take their turns at active duty."

"Don't you think the hospital would be in better shape if it were taken out of politics?" asked Anderson.

"I think it's out of politics now," replied Dr. Sheahan.

"Then," interposed Wolfe, "you don't agree with the County Court, which appointed a committee of citizens to draw up legislation to take the hospital out of politics?"

"Oh, no," the superintendent said. "That committee was to keep the hospital out of politics."

Dr. Sheahan denied the hospital had been disrupted by resignation of the physicians. Discussing one of the principal complaints of resigning staff members—discharge of attendants—he asserted he considered himself more capable of determining efficiency of nurses than members of the staff.

"Staff members are not in a position to judge," he said. "A man on a job 12 hours a day can see what's going on much better than

## DEFENDS HIS ACTS



By a Post-Dispatch Staff Photographer.  
DR. EDWIN L. SHEAHAN.

a man who is in the hospital a few minutes each day."

Attendants, some with several years' experience and working under supervision of graduate nurses, frequently were as competent as student nurses, he said, "and we have a far greater proportion of graduates than other hospitals, since we have no training school for nurses," he added.

Asked About Dismissals.  
Anderson and Wolfe questioned the superintendent in detail concerning the numerous discharges of employees in the last year. Dr. Sheahan gave various reasons for the dismissals, most of them being inefficiency, refusal to co-operate and inability to perform duties. Appointments of non-medical help were mostly on political recommendations, he said in reply to further questions, while selection of professional help was based on recommendations by physicians, his own knowledge of applicants and their records.

Wolfe asked the superintendent about the appointment of Miss Mildred Maes, former superintendent of nurses. "I recommended Miss Maes and the County Court approved her appointment," said Dr. Sheahan. He denied that County Counsel John E. Mooney had recommended her and said he had known her for 10 years at various hospitals.

He said, in reply to questions, that there was no connection between the appointment of Miss Maes and the fact that Mooney and Miss Maes' father, Peter Maes, were close friends.

Mooney had been named in another ouster suit filed by Anderson, alleging also neglect of duty and that Mooney influenced appointments at the hospital in an effort to build up a political machine. Dr. Sheahan denied the testimony that Mooney recommended any applicants for hospital jobs.

Some Mistakes Made.  
The superintendent was questioned about various occurrences at the hospital resulting in complaints against the administration. The superintendent admitted some mistakes had been made, but said proper corrective action was taken, including some dismissals of employees.

Asked about one incident, reported in testimony last week, in which a baby was taken from its crib by mistake and subjected to a fluoroscopic examination the day after it was born, Dr. Sheahan said the mistake was made by the nurse in charge of the ward, who is still at the hospital.

"We can't dismiss everyone who makes a mistake," he went on. "If we did, we wouldn't have anybody there. As long as a mistake is not serious, we do not discharge them."

Testifying about Dr. Leith Slocomb, former chief of staff, whose dismissal several weeks ago precipitated the wholesale resignation of staff members, Dr. Sheahan said, "Dr. Slocomb was a strong supporter of my predecessor, Dr. William G. Patton, and tried to get the County Court to reappoint him. Even before I entered office Dr. Slocomb began stirring up trouble for me."

"Later Dr. Slocomb said at a staff meeting that a certain group of doctors would 'get me before I could get them.' He caused trouble continually. Finally, I dismissed him."

"Had Dr. Slocomb complained about the way the hospital was run?" asked Wolfe. "Yes, he said there were not enough graduate nurses."

None of the physicians who resigned had any complaint to make until after they were out, the witness said.

Additions to Staff.  
Two new additions to the hospital staff were announced today by Dr. Sheahan. They are Dr. Theodore Greiner, 7607 Washington avenue, University City, and Dr. Quentin W. McShane, 6125 Bartmer avenue. Both are dermatologists and Dr. Greiner, who has offices in the Lister building, is president of the St. Louis Dermatological Society.

They now comprise the staff of skin specialists at the hospital, succeeding the staff of seven who resigned in a body last month, all of whom also were members of the dermatological society.

Snow in Western Missouri.  
From one to four inches of snow in the western and northern sections of Missouri were reported today by the State Highway Department, and a warning was issued to motorists that driving conditions are exceedingly hazardous.

## COMPARATIVELY FEW DRIVERS LICENSED

Less Than Fourth of Motorists  
Have Taken Tests—Arrests  
Set for Jan. 16.

Arrests of residents of St. Louis driving without city drivers' licenses will begin Jan. 16, Director of Streets and Sewers Frank J. McDevitt warned today, in announcing that only 94,000 of the 400,000 motorists estimated to reside in St. Louis have had applications for licenses approved.

There will not be any extension of this deadline, as there has been in the past on State and city automobile license plates, McDevitt said to a Post-Dispatch reporter. "Jan. 15 positively will be the last day St. Louisans will be allowed to drive without driver's licenses. I don't believe it a good policy to extend this deadline and I won't."

So that everyone will have a chance to apply for a license, regardless of working hours, the license bureau in the Municipal Auditorium Exposition Hall will remain open until 9 p. m. tomorrow, Friday, and next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday; until 4 p. m. Saturday, and from 8 to 5 p. m. Sunday, McDevitt announced.

Prepared for 25,000 Daily.  
The bureau is prepared to handle 20,000 to 25,000 applications a day, he said. That the expected last-minute rush is beginning was indicated yesterday when 7196 applications were approved, a record for one day. Since the bureau was opened to the public Dec. 9, it has been in operation 22 days, making an average of 4100 applications approved.

As the St. Louis on Parade exhibition will take over the exposition hall Feb. 1, the license bureau will have to be moved to its permanent quarters in the City Hall basement. The City Hall has only room for two lanes, instead of the five in the present quarters, and McDevitt said he anticipated long lines of applicants, will have to wait outside in the cold unless most drivers obtain their licenses before then.

Basis of Estimate.  
His estimate of 400,000 drivers is based on the fact there are about 160,000 motor vehicles in St. Louis and that motorists in other states having driver's license laws have averaged two and one-half to four per car.

A penalty of a fine of \$25 to \$500 or a Workhouse term up to six months, or both, is provided by ordinance for conviction of driving without a driver's license.

Mailing of licenses to applicants, begun shortly after Christmas, is proceeding at the rate of 8000 a day, and 35,000 have been sent out thus far.

A total of 2663 applicants have been rejected, 2208 for failure to pass the vision test, 301 for illiteracy, and 154 because of physical disabilities.

There were 101 persons rejected for illiteracy the first day and 216 the first week the bureau was in operation. Since then, illiterates have been warned by their friends to learn to read traffic signs and sign their names, all of which is necessary to pass, before applying for licenses, and only two or three persons a day are now turned down for illiteracy, according to Chief License Examiner Patrick Dunlavy.

TEST SUIT TO DETERMINE  
VALIDITY OF AUTO SALES TAX  
Company Files Action in Delinquent  
Car Law of 1/2 Pct.

A test suit to determine whether Missouri automobile dealers must pay an estimated \$250,000 in delinquencies under the old 1/2 of 1 per cent sales tax law on transactions involving used cars, was filed by the State of Missouri today against the Hallenberg-Wagner Motor Co., 5646 Gravois avenue, in Circuit Court here.

About 90 per cent of Missouri dealers have refused to pay the tax on receipts from the resale of used cars accepted as part payment in previous transactions. The delinquency charged in the suit against the Hallenberg-Wagner company was \$1280.22 on \$256,044 in used car sales.

Under the new 1 per cent sales tax law the purchaser instead of the dealer pays the levy.

WPA Lunches for School Children.  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—The Works Progress Administration said yesterday a survey showed 50 per cent of all children attending school in Colorado were undernourished. The statement was in an outline of the administration's program of serving hot lunches to school children.

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## Lighthouse Keeper and Medal He Won for Rescue of 14 Men



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THOMAS J. STEINHISE.

FEDERAL employe at lighthouse near Baltimore, who was honored for saving the lives of the crew of a tug that foundered off his lighthouse during a storm in August, 1933.

### SUSPENDED FINES FOR PAIR WHO LEFT BABY IN CLOSET

Charge Is Cruelty to Animal, Based  
on Presence of Puppy in Room  
Under Cradle.

Layton Johnston, 26-year-old handbill distributor, and his wife, Grace, 19, who were arrested Dec. 14 after police broke into their rooms at 3833 Delmar boulevard and found their 11-month-old son, James, locked in a closet and a puppy confined under an overturned crate, were fined \$25 and costs each by Police Judge Vest today for cruelty to an animal.

The charge of cruelty to an animal was placed against them when police found no ordinance that appeared to have been violated by the treatment of the child. A policeman testified he found the puppy in the Johnstons' room, but testimony concerning the child was not admitted. He said the room was hot, the temperature being about 100 degrees, and that the dog was beneath a crate about three feet square and a foot tall.

The Johnstons, who now live at 4716 Vernon avenue, said they had left home about 4 o'clock in the afternoon to go to work, and, having no one to leave in care of the room, placed the dog under the cradle. Johnston said he expected to be gone an hour but handbills he was to distribute were not ready, and he was unable to return until about 10:30 p. m. Mrs. Johnston denied the room was hot.

SUPREME COURT TO HEAR  
TWO NEW DEAL CASES IN MARCH  
Sets Dates for Argument on Slum Clearance and Guffey Coal Law.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Constitutionality of two new New Deal laws will be argued before the Supreme Court the first two weeks in March.

The slum clearance case in which the Government seeks to test its right to condemn property for low-cost housing projects was set today for presentation in the week of March 2. The appeal of J. W. Carter, contending that the Guffey coal Act is invalid, will be heard the week of March 9.

Both Circuit and District Courts ruled against the Government in the Louisville case.

The District of Columbia Supreme Court upheld parts of the Guffey Act setting up an NRA code for the bituminous industry, but for a ruling by the United States Court of Appeals. A similar review has been allowed Kentucky coal operators from a ruling by a Kentucky Federal District Court which found the entire act valid.

## W. J. FITZMAURICE, LABOR LEADER, DIES

President of Central Trades  
Union Succumbs to  
Cancer.

William J. Fitzmaurice, president of the Central Trades and Labor Union, died of cancer today at St. John's Hospital. He was 42 years old and lived at 4536 Pope avenue.

Mr. Fitzmaurice, elected last month for the third time to head the labor organization, composed of delegates from various local unions in the St. Louis territory, had been in failing health for several months. A few weeks ago he underwent an operation which disclosed his critical condition.

He had been prominent in union activities for many years prior to his election to presidency of the Central Trades and Labor Union in 1933, and had been business manager of District No. 9 of the Machinists International Union since 1931.

Under NRA regulations, Mr. Fitzmaurice was one of five members representing labor on the local district labor disputes board, and upon several occasions acted as arbitrator in matters before the board. According to his associates, his services in this capacity were frequently sought, both before and after NRA.

Surviving are his wife and three daughters.

### ALABAMA JUDGE REFUSES SCOTTSBORO CASE TRANSFER

Denies Petition to Put Action Up  
to United States District  
Court.

By the Associated Press.  
DECATUR, Ala., Jan. 8.—Judge W. W. Callahan in Morgan Circuit Court today denied a petition for transfer of the Scottsboro case to the United States District Court of Northern Alabama.

Only Osmond K. Fraenkel Jr., New York, of defense counsel, argued the question. Lieutenant-Governor Thomas E. Knight Jr., special prosecutor told the court he had no argument to make.

Judge Callahan said the statute cited by the defense would hold only when it was shown that the State of Alabama by statute or by custom had infringed on the rights of the defendant.

Fraenkel argued that without a hearing in Federal Court the defendants would be denied the right granted under the section of the United States code under which the petition was filed Monday. He cited cases and concluded, "we hold this court no longer has jurisdiction, until the Federal Court has acted."

The defense motion for a change to United States District Court was based on section 74, title 28, of the United States code, providing for removal to Federal Court in the same district "where equal civil rights" are denied the defendant, or cannot be enforced in state courts.

Judge Callahan then fixed Jan. 20 as the date of the trial of Haywood Patterson, first to be tried of the nine Negro defendants in the case.

Surviving are two sons, Robert W. and John M. Nichols, and six daughters, Mrs. Violet Bradley, Miss Anna Nichols, Mrs. Julia Anderson, Mrs. Adele Pollock, Mrs. Kathryn Elliott and Mrs. Dorothy Matrone. The funeral will be held Friday from the residence.

De Mille Letter Writer to Be Freed.  
By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—The Justice Department said today that Andrew Schwarzmann, former motion picture actor who was accused of sending threatening letters to Cecil B. De Mille, would be released.

The department said Schwarzmann had agreed to leave the United States. J. Edgar Hoover, director of the Bureau of Investigation, said the United States attorney at Los Angeles refused to prosecute Schwarzmann, "inasmuch as the letters contained no threats or demands."

## DENIES BEING DRUNK ON NEW YEAR'S EVE



—Associated Press Wirephoto.  
CONGRESSMAN MARION A. ZIWCHECK.

WHO was found guilty in police court at Washington of drunk and disorderly conduct, but gave notice of appeal. He undertook to operate the switchboard of an apartment house.

### FEDERAL AGENT LEAR B. REED APPEALS FROM COURT RULING

Seeks Release From State Charge  
of Manslaughter in Killing  
During Raid.

Lear B. Reed, Department of Justice agent, yesterday perfected his appeal from the ruling of Federal Judge Davis denying him a release from a Circuit Court charge of manslaughter growing out of the killing of Mrs. Dessie Masterson July 13, 1934. Mrs. Masterson was shot at her home, 1416 Hogan street, during a raid by Federal city and county officers, who were seeking the machine gun used in killing John C. Johnson, Negro witness in the Kelley kidnapping case.

Reed, now stationed at Omaha, Neb., appeared in court with United States District Attorney Blanton and filed papers appealing his case to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals. At a hearing last year on his application for a writ of habeas corpus, Reed contended he went to the Hogan street address in line of duty, and that he should be released from the manslaughter charge in the State court. Judge Davis ruled against the agent, who was placed under \$5000 bond.

Severe Cold Hinders Efforts to  
Reach Miners and Families.  
By the Associated Press.  
ALPINE, Wyo., Jan. 8.—Sub-zero temperatures today delayed the rescue of 20 coal miners and their families from a snow-bound mountain cabin, 26 miles southeast of here.

Civilian Conservation Corps workers and road crews worked all night coaxing a tractor over the last miles of snow-blocked road to the cabin. They arrived today. The party was marooned last Sunday on the way down the mountain from the Blind Bull coal mine.

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## ST. LOUISAN KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Russell Clover's Car Goes Off  
Road and Over Embankment  
Near Chester, Ill.

Russell H. Clover, 43 years old, an optician, 3175 Alfred avenue, was killed when his automobile ran off Illinois Highway No. 3 and plunged down an embankment about 13 miles north of Chester, at 9 o'clock last night.

Clover, who was licensed in Illinois, left home late in the afternoon on a business trip to Chester. Corner John File of Chester said he apparently lost control of his car and was thrown when it ran down the embankment. The automobile license and personal papers led to identification.

Surviving are his wife and two sons. The family, which formerly lived in Quincy, Ill., and in Florida, came to St. Louis about three years ago. Burial will be at Quincy.

There were 13 automobile accidents in St. Louis during the 24 hours ending at 4 a. m. today. Eight persons were injured, none seriously.

### GIRL BEATS MOTHER ON HEAD

Woman's Skull Fractured in Row  
Over Spending of Money.  
By the Associated Press.  
FONKERS, N. Y., Jan. 8.—Teresa Mayer, 14-year-old school girl, confessed today, police said, that she beat her widowed mother on the head with a furnace shaker to stop questions about what became of \$30 in household expense money.

"I don't know why I hit her," the girl said, sobbing. "I only wanted to make mother sick so I could get the money from uncle." The mother, Mrs. Hermine Mayer, was taken to the hospital Monday with a fractured skull and cuts on the face after the girl had notified police she found her mother unconscious in the coal bin of their home.

Rescue on Mountain Delayed

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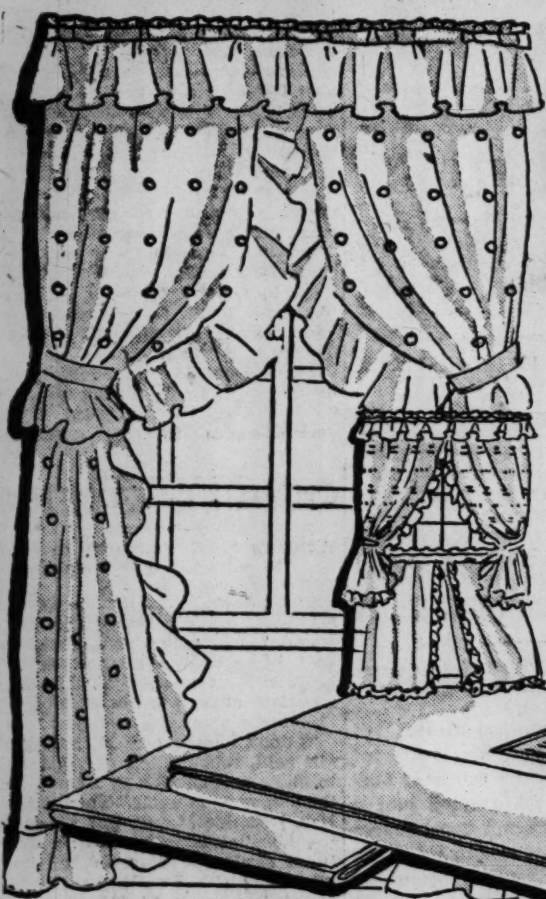


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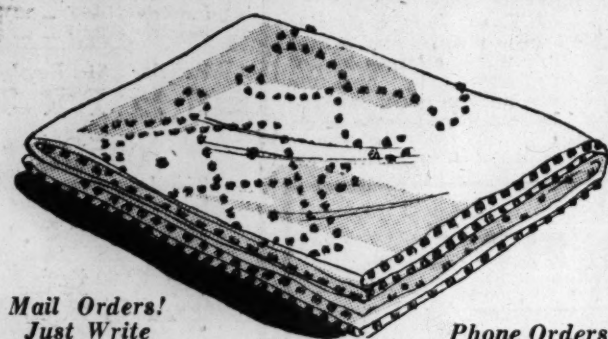
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Hooks & Eyes, Card, 3c  
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Crayons — Box, 3c  
Birthday Candles, Box, 3c  
Tea Strainers — Each, 3c  
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### WILSON SHIFTED WAR LOAN POLICY NOTE INDICATES

Lansing Memorandum,  
Read at Inquiry, Says  
System of Bank Credits  
Was Approved.

INFORMATION GIVEN  
TO J. P. MORGAN CO.

Bryan, Two Weeks Before,  
in Message to President,  
Said, 'Money Is Worst of  
All Contrabands.'

By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—A shift in Woodrow Wilson's policy toward the World War, altering attitudes previously expressed by Secretary of State Bryan, was disclosed before the Senate Munitions Committee yesterday in a heretofore unknown memorandum prepared after a talk with the President by Robert Lansing, then counsel to the State Department, on Oct. 23, 1914.

"From my conversation with the President," he wrote later in the privacy of his office at the State Department, "I gathered the following impressions as to his views concerning bank credits of belligerent governments, in contrast to distinction to a public loan floated in this country."

"There is a decided difference between an issue of government bonds, which are sold in open market to investors, and an arrangement for easy exchange in meeting debts incurred in trade between a government and American merchants."

Financing the War.  
"The sale of bonds draws gold from the American people. The purchasers of bonds are loaning their savings to the belligerent government, and are, in fact, financing the war."

"The acceptance of Treasury notes or other evidences of debt in payment for articles purchased in this country is an arrangement of facilitating trade by a system of credits which will avoid the clumsy and impractical method of cash payments. As trade with belligerents is legitimate and proper, it is desirable that obstacles, such as interest in general, be removed."

"The question of an arrangement of this sort ought not to be submitted to this Government for its opinion, since it has given its views on loans in general, although an arrangement as to credits has to do with a commercial debt rather than with a loan of money."

"The above are my individual impressions of the conversation with the President, who authorized me to give them to such persons as were entitled to hear them, upon the express understanding that they were my own impressions and that I have no authority to speak for the President or the Government."

Morgan's Contentment.  
Appended were notations that the substance of the conversation had been repeated to Willard Straight, whom J. P. Morgan identified as "a gentleman we were using to get information," and R. L. Farnham, who, Frank Vanderlip said, was an employee of the National City Bank. Chairman Nye of the committee followed the introduction of the document with questions frankly seeking to impute to Wilson a desire to avoid personal responsibility for this policy. But the witnesses would not agree.

Nye contended that the President's stand was not made public until six months later, but Lamont quickly produced newspaper clippings of the time, speaking of the change of policy, but giving no authority for the statements made. Important, too, in the evidence was a memorandum from Bryan to the President, dated Aug. 10, 1914, scarcely a fortnight after the European war began.

Advisability of Any Loan.  
"I beg to communicate to you an important matter which has come before the department," Bryan wrote. "Morgan has asked whether there would be any objection to their making a loan to the French Government and also the Rothschilds. I suppose that is intended for the French Government."

"I have conferred with Mr. Lansing and he knows of no legal objection to financing this loan, but I have suggested to him the advisability of presenting to you an aspect of the case which is not legal, but I believe to be consistent with our attitude in international matters. It is whether it would be advisable for this Government to take the position that it will not approve of any loan to a belligerent nation. The reasons that I would give in support of this proposition are:

"First: Money is the worst of all contrabands because it commands everything else. The question of making loans contraband by international agreement has been discussed, but no action has been taken. I know of nothing that would do more to prevent war than an international agreement that neutral nations would not loan to belligerents. While such an agreement would be of great advantage, could we not by our example hasten the reaching of such an agreement? We are the one great nation which is not involved and our refusal to loan to any belligerent would nat-

urally tend to hasten a conclusion of the war.

"We are responsible for the use of our influence through example and as we cannot tell what we can do until we try, the only way of testing our influence is to set the example and observe its effect. This is the fundamental reason in support of the suggestion submitted.

Expressions of Sympathy.

"Second: There is a special and local reason, it seems to me, why this course would be advisable. Mr. Lansing observed in the discussion of the subject that a loan would be taken by those in sympathy with the country in whose behalf the loan was negotiated. If we approved of a loan to France, we could not, of course, object to a loan to Great Britain, Germany, Russia, Austria or to any other country, and if loans were made to these countries our citizens would be divided into groups, each group loaning money to the country which it favors, and this money could not be furnished without expressions of sympathy. These expressions of sympathy are disturbing enough when they do not rest upon pecuniary interests—they would be still more disturbing if each group were peculiarly interested in the success of the nation to whom its members had loaned money.

"Third: The powerful financial interests which would be connected with these loans would be tempted to use their influence through the newspapers to support the interests of the Government to which they had loaned, because the value of the security would be directly affected by the result of the war. We would thus find our newspapers vio-

lently arrayed on one side or the other, each paper supporting a financial group and pecuniary interest. All of this influence would make it all the more difficult for us to maintain neutrality, as our action on various questions that would arise would affect one side or the other, and powerful financial interests would be thrown into the balance.

"I am to talk over the telephone with Mr. Davidson of the Morgan company at 1 o'clock, but I will have him delay final action until you have time to consider this question.

"It grieves me to be compelled to intrude any question upon you at this time, but I am sure you will pardon me for submitting a matter of such great importance."

Protecting Dollars.

"P. S. Mr. Lansing calls attention to the fact that an American citizen who goes abroad and voluntarily enlists in the army of a belligerent nation loses the protection of his citizenship while so engaged, and asks why dollars, going abroad and enlisting in war, should be more protected.

"As we cannot prevent American citizens going abroad at their own

risks, so we cannot prevent dollars going abroad at the risk of the owners, but the influence of the Government is used to prevent American citizens from doing this. "Would the Government not be justified in using its influence against the enlistment of the nation's dollars in a foreign war? The Morgans say that the money would be used to buy munitions for the United States."

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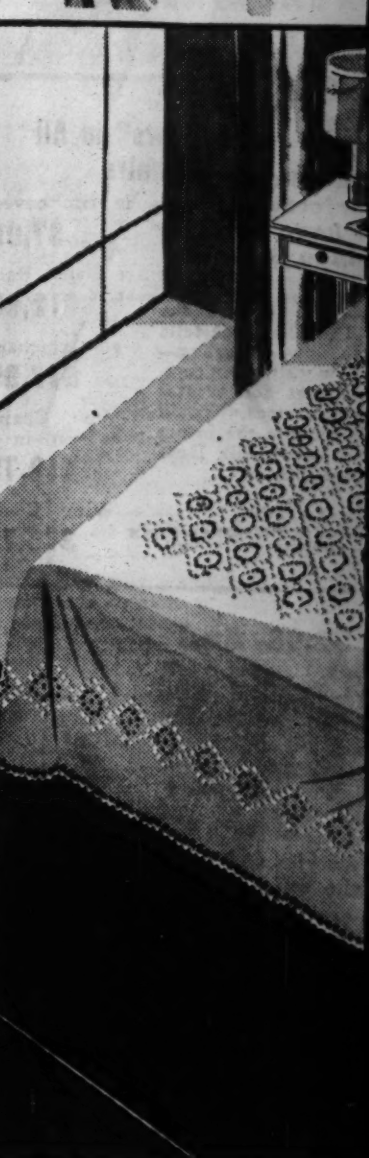
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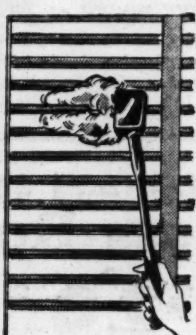
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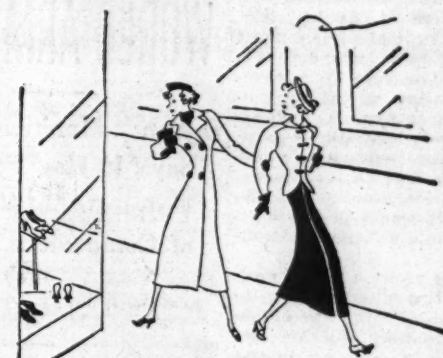
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lowed — Vote Seems  
Probable Friday.By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—House  
consideration tomorrow, with a vote  
probable Friday, was assured cash  
bonus legislation today.The Rules Committee gave the  
right of way on the floor to the full  
payment bill backed by the big-  
three veterans' organizations. The  
bill will be called up tomorrow.  
Four hours of general debate will  
be allowed. The rule was granted  
shortly after the Ways and Means  
Committee urged cash payment as  
an essential part of the recovery  
program.But when Chairman Doughton  
(Dem.), North Carolina, of the Re-  
venue Committee was asked by Rep-  
resentative Cox (Dem.), Georgia,  
of the Rules group if the bonus bill  
approved by the committee was "an  
administration proposal with the in-  
dorsement of the President," Doughton  
replied, "Not to my knowledge.  
I wish it were."The Ways and Means Committee  
report said:"In the judgment of the commit-  
tee, immediate cash payment for  
the adjusted service certificates  
will increase the purchasing power  
of the nation. It believes  
that it is an essential part  
of the recovery program, that the  
present policy looking toward re-  
covery argues strongly that this  
debt, which is just, due and un-  
paid, should be paid in cash to the  
defenders of our country, who ren-  
dered the services and paid in their  
lifetime."The committee said the additional  
money immediately necessary for  
payment would be about \$1,000,000-  
000. It added the "conclusion" that  
the adjusted service certificate "is  
an acknowledgment that the war  
service of the then, flower of our  
manhood should be recognized in a  
small adjustment of their service  
pay," and that the veterans should  
receive that adjustment in their  
lifetime.The committee approved two  
changes yesterday. One would  
eliminate a provision for refunding  
all interest veterans had paid on  
loans on adjusted service certifi-  
cates. The other would increase  
from 3 1/2 to 4 1/2 per cent the inter-  
est on bonds issued by the Treas-  
ury to the Government life insur-  
ance fund. The bond issue would  
permit retirement of certificates on  
which loans have been made from  
the fund.No change was made in the  
clause that would cancel all unpaid  
interest on loans on certificates and  
the measure still would permit vet-  
erans preferring to hold their cer-  
tificates to draw 3 per cent interest  
until 1945.WILSON SHIFTED  
WAR LOAN POLICY,  
NOTE INDICATES  
Continued From Preceding Page.be spent here, but the floating of  
these loans would absorb the loan-  
able funds and might affect our  
ability to borrow."Morgan's View on Money.  
Senator Vandenberg was inter-  
ested in Morgan's view of the Bry-  
an statement that money was the  
worst contraband of all."Do you agree to that?" he  
asked. "I don't think that I do.  
No.""Don't you think a nation is as  
anxious to capture money as any-  
thing else," Senator Clark inter-  
vened."What could a shut-in enemy do  
with money?" Morgan asked."Would you consider it contra-  
band at all," Vandenberg resumed."It was never put on any con-  
traband list I ever heard of. 'Isn't  
there some logic in Bryan's state-  
ment?' "I wouldn't think so,"  
Thomas W. Lamont answered, "ex-  
cept to quote from the Bible that  
'money is the root of all evil.'"  
"That 'the love of money is the  
root of all evil,'" Morgan corrected  
him while the spectators indulged  
in a laugh in which the financier  
joined.

Gridiron Speech Quoted.

Reporters traditionally are "never  
present" at dinners of the Grid-  
iron Club, Capital correspondents'  
organization, yet the following ap-  
pears in a chronology of the World  
War issued at the Senate hearing  
by J. P. Morgan.An item dated Feb. 26, 1918, in  
the pamphlet says "in a speech to  
the Gridiron Club, President Wil-  
son says 'America ought to keep  
out of this war at the sacrifice of  
everything except this single thing  
upon which her character and his-  
tory are founded, her sense of hu-  
manity and justice.'"Chairman of the Senate Foreign  
Relations Committee at the time  
under discussion yesterday was  
Senator William J. Stone of Mis-  
souri, who was opposed to Ameri-  
can participation in the war, and  
to any measure which might in-  
volve this country. H. P. Davison,  
a Morgan partner, called one of  
the London partners that Stone's  
attitude probably was "inspired" by  
the German Government. He di-  
rected his London partner to con-  
vey this information to Bonar Law,  
the British Chancellor of the Ex-  
chequer. When Morgan yesterday  
characterized this as a "mere  
Washington rumor," Senator Clark  
of Missouri, retorted:"When Morgan & Co. thought  
enough of it to cable it to its Lon-  
don branch for transmission to the  
British Chancellor, it became a  
pretty serious matter."

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# O'NEAL DEMANDS NEW LAWS FOR AID OF AGRICULTURE

Farm Bureau Head Urges Legislation "To Attain Economic Equality With Other Groups."

CHICAGO, Jan. 8.—Edward A. O'Neal, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, last night in a radio address demanded new legislation by Congress for agriculture in the absence of the Agricultural Adjustment Act. The champion of the administration's farm policies declared that unless remedial legislation was enacted immediately, Monday's decision of the Supreme Court would plunge agriculture back into a "ruinous condition."

"The court's decision leaves agriculture but two alternatives to seek," he said. "Either to obtain additional legislation from Congress to enable agriculture to attain and maintain economic equality with other groups or demand that Congress strike out the special privileges and advantages accorded by Government to other economic groups."

Advocating an amendment to the Constitution, if necessary, to restore a fair balance between agriculture and industry, O'Neal asserted: "Economic freedom is fully as important as political freedom."

"Increase in the farm income has been the chief factor in bringing about industrial recovery," he said. "What will happen to farm prices ultimately when all production control is eliminated? The records of 1929 to 1932 provide the cruel answer."

## \$1500 Fire at Iron Works

Fire starting from hot castings broke out at the Banner Iron Works, 4560 Shaw boulevard, at 2 o'clock last night. Two alarms were sent in, and the blaze was quickly brought under control. Damage was estimated at \$1500.

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## VICKERS DENIES IT IS MEMBER OF WORLD ARMS RING

British Munitions Firm Says It Has Foreign Investments but No Control of Companies.

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Jan. 8.—The secretary of Vickers, Ltd., British munition makers, denied before the Royal Commission on private manufacture of arms today that his company was a member of "an international armaments ring."

J. Reid Young, also chief accountant of the company, said "such views, while no doubt quite sincerely held, are based on a complete misapprehension of the actual facts."

Young said: "It is desired to state now that Vickers, Ltd., its subsidiaries and associates are not members of an international armaments ring; neither do they control any foreign companies whatsoever by shareholding, by the nomination of directors or by agreements."

About Sir Basil Zaharoff. Sir Herbert Lawrence, chairman of Vickers, Ltd., and Vickers-Armstrong, Ltd., testified that Sir Basil Zaharoff, so-called mystery arms salesman, had taken no part in activities of Vickers or its associates since 1924 except for retaining an interest in a Spanish company. Lawrence declared "demand from abroad had resulted in the development of an anti-aircraft gun which in competition with the world has proved its preeminence," but added: "Our own Government, if it wishes, can get full advantage of this development."

Referring to the statement that Zaharoff had not been connected with the company since 1924, Sir Philip Gibbs, novelist and member of the board of inquiry, quoted a letter written by Zaharoff in 1925. In this letter, Gibbs said, Zaharoff referred to "my firm of Vickers."

Gibbs said Zaharoff was regarded in the popular imagination as "a very sinister figure, walking through the courts of Europe and acting as an agent for the sale of munitions of war."

Vickers' Foreign Investments. Young admitted that the Vickers foreign armament investments included 25 per cent of a Japanese ordnance and ship-building firm, 21 per cent of one Spanish armament company and 22 per cent of another, and 13 1/2 per cent of a Rumanian armament firm.

However, Commander Sir Charles Craven, managing director of Vickers-Armstrong, told Sir John Bankes, chairman of the commission: "We have no control of these companies in any way. It is merely an investment."

Winter Coats Generously Furred With French Beaver,\* Manchurian Wolf,\*\* Sealine,\* Chinese Badger and Marmink

Priced At Only

**\$10.95**

All Are Silk Lined... Majority Wool Interlined

Plenty of cold weather ahead to wear your new Coat selected at this marvelously low price. Matelasse weaves, suede type weaves and novelty crepes—showing all the smartest style details. Plenty of black as well as brown and green. Grand selection for misses, women and larger women.

\*Dyed Cone. \*\*Chinese Dog.

(Downstairs Store.)

\$3.50 and \$5 Sample Venus Girdles & Corsetalls \$2.69

Corsetalls with or without inner belts—of satin, batiste or brocade with heavy woven elastic—swami or lace uplift tops. Step-in Girdles of good quality Latex—various styles and lengths.



SALE!... Forged Steel 6 TYPES SCISSORS 37c

Dressmaker, ladies, pocket, barber, manicure and plustex types; measuring 3 1/2 to 8 inches. Phone orders filled on \$1.00 or more.

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Silks, Rayons and Actates 47c to 67c

Grand selection of fashionable fabrics in the wanted colors, also white and black. 2 to 7 yard lengths.

19c to 25c Grade Wash Fabrics

15c Yd.

Invader printed percales; printed Hanklyn cloth, solid color percale and broadcloth; white crinkled seersuckers, etc. 36 inches wide.

Scranton Filet Lace Cloths \$1.57

Mill runs of the \$2.49 kind; 72x90-inch size; beautiful all-over scroll pattern with woven border; hemmed.

\$2.25 Candlewick Tufted Spreads

\$1.18

Made of good grade unbleached sheeting with neat all-over tufts in two-tone combinations; 72x103 inches. Limited quantity.

MEN'S NON-WILT COLLAR SHIRTS 99c

Irregulars \$1.65 and More

Stock up at this low price—the imperfections are so slight, can hardly be detected and will not impair the wear. Fine broadcloths in white and solid colors; 14 to 17 in the lot. (Downstairs Store.)

Mill Seconds \$44.50 and \$49.50 9x12 Seamless Rugs

Wool Wiltons and Seamless Axminsters \$29.98

Some are in discontinued patterns, others are mill seconds. Hand-some Chinese, Persian and modern effects; fringed ends.

9x12 Felt-Base Rugs

Waterproof; kitchen patterns and colorful carpet effects; mill seconds \$5.98 grade \$3.69

Floorcover Remnants

Heavy quality felt-base; two yards wide; up to 15 square yards in a piece; square yard 29c

7.6x9 Seamless Axminsters; Mill Drops, \$27 Grade, \$16.99

Irregulars and Perfects \$1 to \$1.88 Lace Panel Curtains 57c and 77c Each

All in the newest weaves—plain or figured—tailored styles with deep hems. 2 to 12 of a kind. Come early.

Curtain and Upholstery Materials, 19c

36-In. Plaid Slipcovering 36-In. Gay Colored Cretonnes

40-In. 2-Ply French Marquisette

45-In. Fancy Grenadine and Marquisette—Slight Irregulars

Curtain Nets, 3/4 to 2 Yard Lengths, 10c to 20c Length

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Thursday Brings Many New Values in the



70TH MILL



REMNANT SALE

Special Purchases Bring These Grand Values

**DRESSES**

447—Made to Sell for \$3.94-\$5.55 \$2.66

Acetates and crepes featuring all the newest details—various style necklines—in sizes for misses, women and larger women.

213—Made to Sell for \$6.95 — \$3.66

Popular matelasses, crepes and novelty weaves with lingerie and metallic trims. Sizes and styles for misses, women and larger women.

505—Much Higher Priced — \$4.66

Styles for all occasions—plain and various novelty crepes with rhinestone, button, braid and lingerie trims. Sizes for misses, women and larger women.

(Downstairs Store.)



Don't Miss This Mill Sale Group

Early Spring

**HATS**

88c

Plain or matelasse crepes, Petersham, Felts and Straw combinations. All the latest versions in turbans and brims. Black, brown and new colors.

Head sizes for all.

(Downstairs Store.)

One of America's Best-Known Brands of Women's Sheer

**SILK HOSE**

58c

Regularly Sold All over for \$1.35... imperfections are so slight you have to look again and again to find them

We are not permitted to use the name, but the label on the Hose tells the true value. Hosiery—45 gauge—full fashioned, shadow welt, picot tops. All the smartest shades for Winter and early Spring costumes. You'll look to your needs far into the future when you see what lovely Silk Hose can be purchased for only 58c.

Sizes 8 1/2 to 10 1/2

(Downstairs Store.)

Women's \$2.98 and \$3.50 Grade SHOES \$1.97

Corliss and Other Makes

All this season's styles and leathers. Women who wear the popular Corliss brand will choose several pairs. Oxfords, ties, straps and pumps—in black and brown kid or suede. Sizes 3 1/2 to 9—AAA to C in the lot.

Men's \$2.98 & \$3.50 Oxfords

Calfskin or Kid; Good-year welts; leather soles—rubber or leather heels; sizes 6 1/2 to 11 in the lot.

(Downstairs Store.)

Special! Women's Sport Tops Crepe, Taffeta or Satin Blouses

Long and short sleeve styles; button, bow and tuck trims; light and dark shades; sizes 34 to 40. Slight irregulars of \$1.94 grade.

Tweeds, Novelty & Flannel Skirts

Pleated styles with button trims; navy, brown, wine and black. Sizes 26 to 32

Wool and Acetate Sports Frocks

Long sleeved; styled with pleated or gored skirts; brown and high shades. Sizes 14 to 20

\$1.35



Wom's. 59c Sample Gloves 39c

Bengalines, chamois-suede fabrics and novelty weaves; slip-on styles in black and brown; sizes 6 to 8 1/2.

Women's Modish Bags 39c

Large and small under-arm and pouch styles; with swinging or attached coin purses; black and colors.

Women's 59c Neckwear 29c

V shapes, collar and cuff sets, also high neckline styles. Developed in pique, bengaline, satin and lace.

"Gem" Flatware, Ea.

Silver-plated; stainless knives; all kinds of spoons, forks; also sugar shells and butter spreaders — 7c

Linen 'Kerchiefs

Unhemmed; prints or woven borders; higher-priced grades — 5c

(Downstairs Store.)

12,718

59c Handmade

Infants' dainty handmade and hand embroidered Dresses in a variety of beautiful styles; sizes 0 to 2.

Handmade G

Babies' made in Puerto Rico—beautifully hand embroidered; sizes 0 to 2 years.

29c & 39c Ruben

Can you imagine this well-known brand of Baby Shirts at such a low price. Double breasted; sizes fit 0 to 3 years. Also knit training pants; 1 to 6.

29c Flannelette

Babies' gowns, kimono and garters; all white or with colored trims; sizes to fit tots to 2 years.

Baby Boys' 59c Handmade Creepers

38c

Fine broadcloths, beautifully hand embroidered; wanted colors; 1 to 3 years in group.

Full line 2 years or limited. \*Chinese

Misses' and Women's

Winter Blouses in corduroy and other materials; sizes up to 42 in the group.

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Novelty pullovers and twin sets; assortment of styles and colors; 34 to 44.

Women's \$1 Raincape

Heavy double duty rubber; wanted colors.

Misses' Flannel Skirts

\$1.95 All-Wool Flannel Skirts; mostly in but some other colors.

Lightweight Skirts

Ideal for Spring and Summer wear. Come early for these rare values.

Misses' Sheer Blouses

Sheer Blouses in sports or dress type; sizes 32 to 42 in the lot.

Women's Wash F

All Fresh and Clean — 39c

Sheers, print percales and printed ginghams; sizes 14 to 20—36 to 44.

Poplin and Broadcloth U

Maiden and nurses' uniforms; small, medium and large; firsts and seconds.

Fancy Bandettes 24c

Broches, satins and novelty materials; plain and uplift styles; various widths.

2-Way Step 56

14-inch; tight Lateral; light forable; and large.

LIMITED QUANT

MANY OTHER MILL SALE VALUES NOT MENTIONED—FOLLOW THE YELLOW AND BLACK SIGNS



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Neckwear

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Linen Kerchiefs

5c

Unhemmed; prints or colored

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Event No. 2

## We Purchased the Entire Stock From SALZBERG - LEVIN

Local jobber in business less than one year, decided to discontinue their business. They sold us their entire stock for spot cash—making it possible for us to offer infants' and children's wear, Rayon Underwear, Silk and Cotton Lingerie, House Dresses, Blouses, Skirts, etc., at spectacular low prices. All new, desirable merchandise for Winter, Spring and Summer—so you can fill your needs far into the future at truly worthwhile savings. Small dealers and children's institutions are particularly invited to attend this important event. Limited quantities, so shop early.

### 12,718 Pcs. Infants' and Tots' Wear

#### 59c Handmade Dresses

Infants' dainty handmade and hand embroidered Dresses in a variety of beautiful styles; sizes 0 to 2. **33c**

#### Handmade Gertrudes

Babies; made in Puerto Rico—beautifully hand embroidered; sizes 0 to 2 years. **18c**

#### 29c & 39c Ruben Shirts

Can you imagine this well-known brand of Baby Shirts at such a low price. Double breasted; sizes to fit 0 to 3 years. Also knit training pants; 1 to 6. **18c**

#### 29c Flannelette Wear

Babies' gowns, kimono and gertrudes; all white or with colored trims; sizes to fit tots to 2 years. **18c**

#### Baby Boys' 59c Handmade Creepers

Fine broadcloths, beautifully hand embroidered; wanted colors; 1 to 3 years in group. **38c**

#### Babies' Rayon or Chinchilla\* Coats

Full lined; sizes 1 and 2 years only; quantity is limited, so shop early. \*Chinchilla Cloth. **77c**

#### Misses' and Women's Blouses

Winter Blouses in corduroy and other materials; sizes up to 42 in the lot. **58c**

#### Misses' & Women's Sweaters

Novelty pullovers and twin sets; assortment of styles and colors; 34 to 44. **78c**

#### Women's \$1 Raincoats

Heavy double duty rubber; wanted colors. **58c**

#### Misses' Flannel Skirts

\$1.95 All-Wool Flannel Skirts; mostly red, but some other colors. **88c**

#### Lightweight Skirts

Ideal for Spring and Summer wear... come early for these rare values. **58c**

#### Misses' Sheer Blouses

Sheer Blouses in sports or dress types; sizes 32 to 42 in the lot. **38c**

#### Women's Wash Frocks

All Fresh and Clean **39c**

Sheers, print percales and printed ginghams; shirt-maker types and the dressier styles; short and elbow length sleeves; sizes 14 to 20—36 to 44 in the lot.

#### Poplin and Broadcloth Uniforms

Maids' and nurses' uniforms; small, medium and large; firsts and seconds. **79c**

#### Fancy Bandettes

Broches, satins and novelty materials; plain and uplift styles; various widths. **24c**

#### 2-Way Stretch Step-Ins

14-inch; tightly woven; lastest; light and comfortable; small, medium and large. **56c**

#### Caps & Bonnets

Regular 59c to \$1 grades—silks, knits and mixtures; styles for babies and tots. **38c**

#### 59c to \$1 Wash Suits

Seldom do you see such a marvelous group at this low price. Short sleeve styles; wide selection of colors and combinations. 2 to 8. **48c**

#### 59c to 79c Grades Children's Wear

Broadcloth pajamas; sun suits, play suits, polo shirts, wash suits, dresses. Sizes 2 to 6 in the group; shop early. **38c**

#### Children's Panty and Sheer Frocks

Up to \$1.00 Grades **48c** Up to \$1.95 Grades **77c**

Grand selection of styles—hand embroidered or tailored models; sizes 1 to 6 in the group! Come early!

\$1.59 Beacon Blankets; 36x50 inch; 96 to sell at — 88c  
19c and 25c Large Rubber Sheets; 280 to sell at — 12c  
25c Babies' Rubber Pants; large, medium and small — 5c  
25c Babies' Rayon-Covered Pants; 316 to sell at — 15c  
40 Pairs of Children's Ski Pants — 68c  
39c Babies' Wool Shoulderettes; 144 priced at — 19c  
\$2.95 Four-Piece Coat Sets for babies — \$1.69  
\$3.95 Four-Piece Coat Sets for babies; silk lined — \$2.39  
(Downstairs Store.)

### Complete Sample Line of Children's and Women's Wear Offered at 1/3 to 1/2 and More Savings

Including infants' wear—girls' wear—misses' and women's blouses and skirts—offered at a fraction of their real value. Being samples there's a wide variety—Quantity is limited so shop early.  
(Downstairs Store.)

### Jobbers' Entire Stock 10,000 Pieces Women's Rayon Undies

Offered in This Sale at Savings of 1/3 to 1/2

10c 17c 20c 29c 35c

Women's and misses' step-ins and brief panties; made of good rayon; broken sizes. **10c**

Women's fine gauge rayon bloomers in regular and extra sizes. Step-ins in regular sizes. Also children's rayon panties. **20c**

Women's tuck stitched vests and pants in pink; pants have elastic waist and cuff bottoms; Vests are in built-up shoulder style. **17c**

Bloomers, plain tailored or lace trimmed; regular, extra and double extra sizes. Also regular size panties and step-ins, tailored or lace trimmed; pink or tearose shades. **29c**

#### Women's Lace-Trimmed, Pink Candy-Striped Rayon Gowns, 79c

#### WOMEN'S SILK CREPE SLIPS

Lovely silk crepe Slips that are marvelous values at only \$1. California top style—tailored or lace trimmed. Flesh, tearose and white. Sizes 34 to 44. **\$1.00**

#### Gowns and Pajamas

Women's flannelette; gowns in stripes and solid colors; 2-pc. pajamas, solid colors, fancy print trims. **68c**

#### Women's Cotton Slips

Broadcloths in built-up shoulder style; white, tearose and flesh; sizes 34 to 44. **39c**

#### Porto Rican Gowns

Appliqued or hand embroidered; with or without belts; white, flesh and tearose; 16, 17 and 20. **39c**

#### Rayon Taffeta Slips

California or bodice tops; lace trimmed; tearose and flesh; sizes 34 to 44 in lot. **49c**

Lace-Trimmed Rayon Taffeta Slips—Sizes 34 to 44 in lots, 44c  
(Downstairs Store.)

#### Tots' \$1 to \$1.59 Wear

Silk, satin and rayon mixed dresses. Also creepers and christening sets; many styles to choose from—hand embroidered or tailored. **77c**

#### 2 and 3 Pc. Wash Suits

Boys' \$1.19 to \$1.59 grades. Poplins, linens and fine count broadcloths—all have button-on pants; sizes 2 to 6. **77c**

#### Flannelette Pajamas

Regular 59c grade; all of genuine Amoskeag Flannelette; solid colors and fancies; sizes 2 to 12. **38c**

#### Girls' 39c and 59c Slips

Broadcloths, muslins and rayon mixtures; built-up shoulders and bodice styles; sizes 4 to 16 years. **28c**

#### 49c Shoes and Slippers

Babies' white kid Shoes or Slippers with soft soles; sizes 0 to 3. **25c**

#### Berets and Bonnets

29c to 50c grades; wide array of new novelty Berets and Bonnets for infants and children; solid colors and fancies. **19c**

#### 19c and 25c Bloomers and Panties

Knit Panties with French legs; muslin or broadcloth Bloomers; sizes 2 to 18. **10c**

### 3 Great Groups Girls' WASH FROCKS

This season's smartest styles of 79c Wash Frocks; 7 to 14 years; just 300 to sell at — **44c**

\$1 and \$1.19 Wash Frocks in the most adorable styles; guaranteed fast color materials; 7 to 14 years — **64c**

Rayon mixtures, Celanese and fast color print Frocks that were originally \$1.59 and more; 7 to 16 in the group — **84c**

#### 400 Pieces Girls' Wear

Dresses, raincoats, summer shorts and play suits; small quantities; shop early. **29c**

Girls' \$1 Gym Suits; blue or green — **59c**

Sweaters in a variety of styles and colors, 84c  
(Downstairs Store.)

#### Jobbers' Stock and Sample WASH SUITS

Boys' suits of seersucker, poplin, crash, cotton serge and other fine materials. Short sleeve, belted models; long pant sailor suits; 3-piece Eton, long pant suits and others; sizes 3 to 10 in the group. **33c to 89c**

#### Broadcloth Shirts

Regulation collar; white, solid colors and fancies. Also button-on blouses and long sleeve polo shirts. Slight irregulars. **39c**

#### \$1.39 Sweaters

Boys' Pullovers; brushed wool effects and rib stitch; zipper fronts or V-necks; sizes 28 to 36. **99c**

Boys' Lined Part-Wool Knickers — **\$1.19**

Boys' All-Wool Melton Jackets — **\$2.39**  
(Downstairs Store.)

### AAA DECISION 'WINDFALL' FOR 30 ST. LOUIS FIRMS

Leaves Them With Excess Funds, Reserve Set Up for Tax If Ruling Went Against Them.

The Supreme Court decision invalidating processing taxes appeared today to be a "windfall" for companies which had refused to pay the taxes, pending a Supreme Court ruling.

About 30 large processors, it was said today at the office of Collector Thomas J. Sheehan, had refused to pay the taxes for periods ranging from six to 18 months. The amount of such taxes "due" and unpaid in the Eastern District of Missouri was estimated at from \$6,000,000 to \$10,000,000.

In most of these instances, it was assumed, the companies had set up reserve funds against the day when they might have to pay the tax. The Supreme Court's decision eliminated that possibility, so that processors found themselves with substantial reserve funds on hand which they might use as they pleased.

Ran Risk of Penalties. Those who refused to pay the tax ran the risk of incurring severe penalties had the levy been upheld. The law provided a penalty of 5 per cent of the amount of the tax for each of the first five months it was due and unpaid, plus 1/2 of 1 per cent for each month the delinquency continued.

Four companies which paid the tax into the registry of the Federal Courts may find themselves not so well off as those which refused to pay the tax at all. These companies, the St. Louis Independent Packing Co., the Imbs Milling Co., the Saxony Mills, and the Wolff Milling Co., have paid \$1,400,000 into the registry of the courts since last summer.

They are expected to file motions to recover the money, but may have to overcome a defense by the Government on the ground that since the tax has been passed on to consumers, the companies are not entitled to recover. This argument was advanced by District Attorney Harry C. Blanton last summer in opposing injunction suits against collection of the tax.

Blanton said he had been told that some retailers were making claims against processors to recover taxes, particularly in the case of millers who set the processing taxes out separately on their invoices to dealers, indicating how much of the price charged was for flour, and how much for processing tax.

Processors, he thought, might avail themselves of the defense that no recovery could be had unless it could be shown that the dealer had not passed on the tax to the ultimate consumer.

### ICC HEAD, IN DISSENT, FAVORS SCRAPPING OF OLD RAIL LINES

Chairman Disagrees With Majority on Unprofitable and Obsolete Roads.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—A demand that railroads be authorized to abandon unprofitable and obsolete lines was made by Chairman Charles D. Mahaffie today in dissenting from a majority ruling of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Discussing a ruling on an application of the Kansas Southwestern Railway to abandon 21 miles of line between South Haven and Arkansas City, Kan., Mahaffie declared: "Much railroad mileage built in the days of wagon hauls over dirt roads has been rendered obsolete by the development of trucks and by road improvement. To continue to maintain and operate such mileage is an economic waste. Truck transportation is here to stay. That fact calls for revision of the railroad map."

Saying that railroad transportation "is still essential," Mahaffie added the commission should not stand in the way of necessary revision of facilities.

The majority ruling authorized the Kansas Southwestern to abandon 6.3 miles between Genda Springs and Arkansas City, but denied abandonment of that part between South Haven and Genda Springs.

### CHICAGO RACKETEER RELEASED

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Jan. 8.—A trifle thin, Murray Humphries, notorious Chicago racketeer, was released from the Federal penitentiary here today.

Three persons awaited his exit from the institution which has housed him since Nov. 1, 1934, for evasion of Federal income tax law. They were a young woman, a taxi-cab driver and a reporter. The cab driver later said that he took Humphries and the woman to a hotel here where the woman was registered as "Mrs. C. Myers of St. Louis." After about an hour spent in the woman's room, Humphries and she slipped down the back stairs to a waiting taxicab. The taxi company said they were going to Kansas City.

### NO TRUE BILL IN SHOOTING OF THE REV. J. R. MCCLENDON

Negro Minister Shot to Death by Edward Campbell, Estranged Wife's Father.

A no true bill was voted by the grand jury yesterday in the fatal shooting of the Rev. James R. McClendon, Negro of New York City, by his estranged wife's father, Edward Campbell, in front of Campbell's barber shop at 2317 Market street, Dec. 6.

In a statement to police, Campbell said he had interpreted a gesture by his son-in-law as an effort to draw a revolver.

At the inquest, McClendon's wife testified he had threatened her and her father.

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Have Arrived! These Coats with the Superior Details of Manufacture... made of FIRST QUALITY Pelts Specially Imported for Us.

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1—SHOULDER PANE... a patented process that distributes weight evenly across shoulders.

2—CORDIAN UNDERARM... strain and tightness under the arms.

3—SKINS DOVE-TAIL like velvet... put together in zig-zag fashion as in most expensive coats.

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AND BLACK SILK LIMITED QUANTITIES—SHOP EARLY—NO MAIL OR PHONE ORDERS FILLED



## TC-14 AT SCOTT FIELD IS ACCEPTED BY ARMY

New Coastal Patrol Airship Officially in Service After 23 Flights.

After 23 test flights, the TC-14, a coastal patrol airship, has been accepted for the Army by Lieutenant-Colonel Frank M. Kennedy, commanding officer of Scott Field, it was announced today.

The craft, manufactured in New York and Dayton, was assembled at Scott Field and is to be stationed here. It is a sister ship of the TC-13, now stationed at the light-house base at Sunnyvale, Cal., recently taken over by the Army from the Navy in a nationwide exchange of flying fields. It and its sister ship are said to be the largest non-rigid dirigibles in the world.

Powered with three 300-horsepower radial motors, two mounted in outboard gondolas and the third in the tail of the control car, the TC-14 is capable of a top speed of more than 85 miles an hour. It has a helium capacity of 360,000 cubic feet and is 237 feet long and 57 feet in diameter.

With its full gasoline capacity of 1300 gallons, the craft is capable of cruising for three days and nights. It has accommodations for cooking and sleeping for its crew of eight men, and includes radio sets for following radio beams and communicating with the ground. Also included in its equipment is a sub-cloud car in which an observer can be lowered 3000 feet below the craft, to communicate by telephone his observations of the ground while the more conspicuous airship is cruising in or above the clouds.

In the flights just completed, the TC-14 reached a top speed of 72 miles an hour with two motors. The third power plant was undergoing ground tests at the time and was not used for the flights.

Wife Sues Hugh Pickering.  
By The Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Jan. 8.—Mrs. Charlotte Milburn Pickering, daughter of Mrs. Anne Hollingsworth Peabody, filed suit for divorce today against Hugh Parker Pickering. Mrs. Pickering, who is a niece of Devereaux Milburn, internationally known sportsman and polo player, charged Pickering deserted her Nov. 15, 1934. They were married Dec. 17, 1933, at Harrison, N. Y.

## NEW NINTH GRADE COURSE IN MISSOURI GOVERNMENT

State History Included in Half-Year Study to Begin With Next Semester.

More thorough attention will be given the subject of the history and government of Missouri in the ninth grade, or first year of public high school, as a result of the establishment of a new half-year course, beginning with the new semester, Jan. 27.

The course will be open to pupils of the ninth grade, for whom reassignment of algebra, Latin or general science in their second semester may seem inadvisable, and to new pupils, who, on request of their parents or on advice of their elementary principals, may be permitted to postpone the study of algebra. Exceptionally capable pupils may be allowed to take the course as an extra in the second semester.

Heretofore this subject has been covered by a brief survey during the ninth-grade work in geography. A whole year's work in geography will continue to be required.

## INDICTED FOR MANSLAUGHTER AFTER FATAL AUTO COLLISION

Rufus Campbell, 21, Accused Also of Theft of Car and Leaving Scene of Accident

Rufus Campbell, 21 years old, was indicted by the grand jury yesterday for manslaughter, larceny of an automobile and leaving the scene of an accident.

John H. Buhr, Negro janitor for the Board of Education, was fatally injured Nov. 23 when his automobile collided at Grand boulevard and Market street with a taxicab which it is alleged Campbell had stolen at 2323 Market street a few minutes before. Campbell fled on foot after the accident and was arrested several blocks from the scene.

## RECONCILIATION LASTS 11 DAYS

Trumpet Player Sues Former Dancer for Divorce.

The reconciliation of Andrew W. McKinney, trumpet player in the Ambassador Theater orchestra, and his wife, Marguerite, a former dancer, lasted but 11 days, McKinney's suit for divorce, filed yesterday in Court of Domestic Relations, disclosed.

In April, 1934, Mrs. McKinney obtained a divorce from the musician, after nine years of married life. They remarried last Nov. 30, and McKinney charges that his wife deserted him on Dec. 10.

## CITY AND COUNTY DEMOCRATS' JACKSON DAY DANCE TONIGHT

Affair to Be Held in Convention Hall of Municipal Auditorium.

Democrats of St. Louis and St. Louis County will observe Jackson Day with a dance tonight in the Convention Hall of the Municipal Auditorium.

The dance, according to press notices sent out by the St. Louis Young Democratic Club, which has charge of arrangements, will serve the two-fold purpose of providing a central location where Democrats can hear the radio broadcast of the President's Jackson day address at 9 p. m. and of helping to finance the 1936 Democratic Presidential campaign. How Gen. Jackson, the hero of New Orleans, is to be honored, is not mentioned.

The dance at \$1 a ticket was decided upon recently after the Young Democratic organization rejected the suggestion of Postmaster General-National Democratic Committee Chairman Farley that they honor Old Hickory with a \$10-a-plate dinner. Farley wanted them to send \$6 of each \$10 taken in to the National Committee to help reduce the deficit.

President Roosevelt's talk before Jackson day dinners in Washington, who will pay \$50 a plate in order to help reduce the party deficit, will be heard over the public address system in the Convention Hall. An attendance of 10,000 persons has been provided for.

## ADVERTISEMENT

## SLENDERIZE Your Fingertips

Is there a man or woman who has not admired sleek, slender fingers? You, too, can slenderize your fingertips by using "MANICARE"—the sensational new nail beautifier which softens the cuticle so you can push it back and get the biggest half-moons you ever had. A minute a day with Manicare keeps the skin around the nails soft and smooth... a perfect frame for the nails.

Manicare supplies the oils which help keep nails from getting dry and brittle. It removes stains, including nicotine. It removes odors of foods and dishwater. May be used at any time... does not disturb the polish. At drug and drug stores. 85¢ Jar. Courtesy's MANICARE. 8¢ 1/2¢ Jar. On.

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Regularly \$5.95

**\$4.95**

Weight 6½ Lbs.

- Red and Gray
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PLENTY of warmth and plenty of wear in these blankets that are ideal for St. Louis, because the dark colors do not show dirt easily. Wide sateen binding. 70x80-inch size.

## \$1.39 DOUBLE COTTON BLANKETS

Fleecy napped blankets in colorful plaids with double-overlocked ends. 70x80 inches; weigh 2½ lbs. FAIR

**99c**

## \$1.25 PART-WOOL SINGLE BLANKET

Contains not less than 5% wool; weighs 1 lb. 8 oz.; 70x80 inches; colorful plaids with matching sateen binding

**\$1.00**

## \$2.29 PART-WOOL D'BLE BLANKETS

That weigh 3 lbs. Unusually soft and fluffy, with not less than 5% wool content. 70x80 in.; pastel plaids. FAIR

**\$2.09**

## \$12.75 VIRGIN WOOL D'BLE BLANKETS

Sears famous "Beautywarm" blanket, of scoured, sterilized long fiber wool, preshrunk to 72x84 inches. Colorful plaids

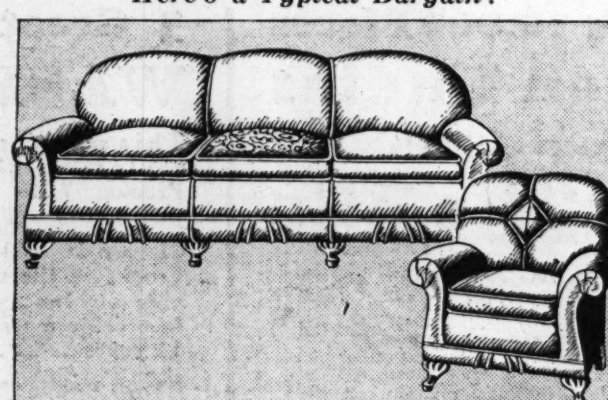
**\$9.95**

Large 72x90 Wool Double Blankets, **\$7.79** Pair

Second Floor—Both Stores

## SAVE on SUITES

in Sears Drastic Clearance of  
FLOOR SAMPLES  
Here's a Typical Bargain!



2-Pc. Bed-Davenport Suite Worth \$69.95  
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In This Sale **\$49.95** 5% Down; \$5 Month (Plus Small Carrying Charge)  
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THIS set which turns your living room into an extra bedroom when the davenport is opened, offers beauty and quality that are both unusual at this low price. Solid maple frame construction; spring-filled reversible cushions, rounded fronts, handsome covering of genuine Angora mohair in choice of colors.

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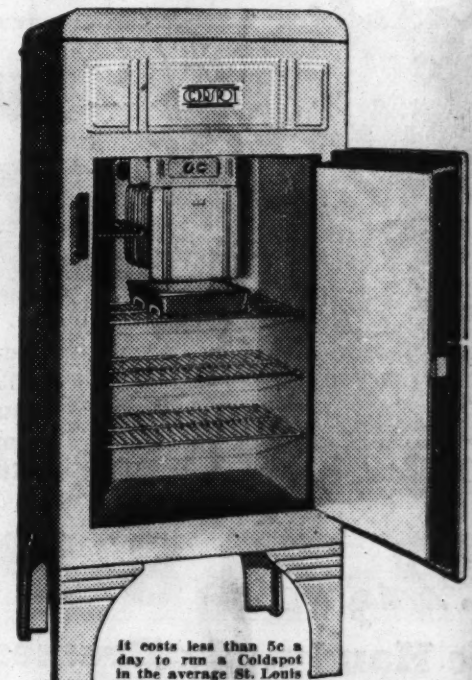
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**CABBAGE** 3 Lbs. **10c**

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**APPLES** Lb. **5c**

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LIGHT HOUSE CLEANSER Can **3c**

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CHUCK ROAST NECK CUTS Lb. **12½c**

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Steaks Sirloin, Round or Tenderloin Lb. **23c**

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At 1/2 the regular price, this is an opportunity for those who are in need of silverware to acquire an adequate supply—for those who contemplate a silverware gift for weddings or birthdays, also for those who desire the perfect service for their own use. The terms, too, are so convenient that it will not seem like an expenditure at all.

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Silver Shop and Aisle Tables  
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8 Hollow-Handle Dinner or Viande Knives  
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(Or 8 Cream Soup Spoons)  
8 Salad Forks  
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50 PIECES  
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in Tarnish-proof  
Container

After the sale, the price will be \$37.50



### Car Victim's Body Returned.

TULSA, Ok., Jan. 8. — The body of Thomas Grammer, truck driver killed in a crash near Sand Springs Saturday, was taken to Aurora, Mo., Tuesday, for burial following funeral services here.

### Night Coughs

Quickly checked without "dosing." Just rub on **VICKS** VAPORUB

### CHIMPANZEES AT THE ZOO PUT ON 'AMATEUR HOUR'

Performers Judged Through Applause With Jackie Winning First Day's Prize.

The performing chimpanzees at the Zoo participated in an "amateur hour" yesterday afternoon, the innovation proving so popular with visitors that Zoo Director George P. Vierheller said it would be continued for several months. The chimpanzees, under direction of Keeper Leon Smith, went through their repertory of tricks and at the conclusion of each in-

dividual performance, Smith held his hand over the performers' head and called for applause. The loudest applause was for Jackie. He executed turns on the Roman rings, jumped low hurdles on stilts, jumped in and out of barrels while blindfolded and did an Oriental dance. With Billy, Sammy, and Gonnah, the gorilla, he had a star's part in the performance.

Jackie is one of the six younger chimpanzees expected some day to replace Billy, Sammy and Gonnah as veteran performers. The other younger "chimps," Lady, Krool, Percy, Tommy and Jimmy, are learning tricks rapidly, Vierheller

said, and probably will perform in an "amateur show" of their own for morning and afternoon visitors.

### Three Freed in Cuban Kidnaping.

HAVANA, Jan. 8.—The Urgency Court yesterday acquitted three men of charges of participating in the kidnaping of Antonio Castano, aged Cuban millionaire, last month. They were Domingo Corona, former Mayor of San Antonio De Las Vegas, Miguel Montes de Oca and Teresa Gonzalez del Valle. The three were arrested at San Antonio de Las Vegas after rural guards rescued Castano, held in a cave near that town.

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### THIRD EFFORT TO OUST CHAIRMAN PAPE FAILS

Opposition Finds it Lacks Votes Makes No Move at Republican Meeting.

The third effort in 13 months to unseat Fred Pape as chairman of the Republican City Committee failed to materialize at the committee's monthly meeting last night.

Essentially the same group which made an unsuccessful attempt to oust Pape last March laid plans to act last night, but finding it lacked enough votes to carry them out, as the committee members gathered, the faction made no move.

There was a test of strength, however, on a change of rules advocated by Pape and his friends and opposed by the anti-Pape element. With six members absent, the change was adopted, 30 to 20. It provided that the number of members petitioning for action on reorganization of the committee must be 28, instead of 14 as heretofore. The smaller number was a survival of the time before the committee included women as well as men.

A rule, not changed, required 30 votes to carry out a reorganization. It had been expected that the anti-Pape group, with more than 14 signatures to its petition, might seek last night to set aside the provision for a 10-day notice of a reorganization move. The outcome left Pape firmly in control. He has expressed belief that William Sacks, Republican politician, was back of the movement to oust him and has said he would resign if he felt the party wanted to get rid of him.

Pape is a veteran member of the committee from the Eleventh Ward and former Park Commissioner. He has been chairman since November, 1933, and also held the place in 1927-31. His opponents wanted to put Louis J. Reidel, Thirtieth Ward, former Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, in his place. The entire personnel of the Republican and Democratic city committees will be elected for four-year terms in the primary next August.

The Republican committee last night reduced the size of its Executive Committee from 16 to nine, because the larger number was unwieldy, and established a Precinct Organization Committee, to work throughout the city. It accepted the resignation of William E. Van Camp as Seventeenth Ward Committeeman and seated in his place Louis E. Miller, 3733 Lindell boulevard, a lawyer, who once made an unsuccessful race for Congress. To succeed the late William G. Kay-sing, Fifteenth Ward, the committee chose Eugene M. Guise, lawyer, 3818 DeTonty street.

### Woman Committeeman Indorsed:

"No Relatives on Payroll." The Eleventh Ward Democratic organization of Mrs. Walter A. Kelly, committeewoman of the ward, meeting last night at Carpenter Library, adopted a resolution urging her re-election and the election of a committeewoman who would work in harmony with her. The party has had a factional split in this ward between Mrs. Kelly's forces and those of Deputy Sheriff Andrew Murray, committeewoman. The resolution, praising Mrs. Kelly, recited that "she has not placed any of her family or relations on the city monthly payroll."

State Senator William J. Doran (Dem.), 3345 Oak Hill avenue, who has represented the Twenty-ninth District since 1933, has announced his candidacy for re-election.

An organization known as the Republican Indians, claiming a membership in 16 wards, has announced the intention of entering a candidate for the Republican nomination for Mayor next year.

### PRISON FOR TWO ACCUSED BY MAN OF TAKING 5 CENTS

East St. Louis Defendants Get One to 14 Years on Charge of Assault to Rob.

Charles Drach, 220A Winstanley avenue, East St. Louis, and Andrew Townsend, a Negro, 121 (rear) Bowman street, East St. Louis, were found guilty of assault to rob by a jury in City Judge William F. Borders' court in East St. Louis yesterday and sentenced to from one to 14 years in the penitentiary. Joseph Urbanek, 1124 North Ninth street, East St. Louis, testified the men took him to Townsend's home and, after beating him, took 5 cents from his pocket. Drach and Townsend said they assaulted him when he tried to take 25 cents from a dice game.

### STILL RAIDED; NOBODY HOME

Deputies Find 250-Gallon Capacity Plant Near Ferguson.

Deputies led by Constable Rudy Baumer, St. Ferdinand Township, and Chief of Police Al Montrey of Ferguson, last night raided a large still, which was in operation in a barn behind a residence on Elizabeth avenue, near Ferguson.

Besides the still, of 250-gallon capacity, the barn contained concrete mash vats and a quantity of alcohol. The officers, who turned the case over to Federal authorities, found no one on the premises.

### ICKES INSPECTS SAN JUAN

Arrives in Puerto Rico by Plane From Miami.

SAN JUAN, Puerto Rico, Jan. 8.—Arriving after a night plane trip from Miami, Secretary of the Interior Ickes began a brief inspection of the island today. He began with a trip to San Juan's slums and historic points.

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New 21-oz. size package!
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Regular size boxes!
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For laundry or utility use!
- O. K. Soap — 20 for 58c  
Yellow Procter & Gamble soap!
- Rinso — 2 for 42c  
For dainty materials!
- P. & G. Soap — 10 for 29c  
For general laundry use!
- Crystal White — 10 for 29c  
Regular size for general use!
- Ivory Flakes — 3 for 63c  
For all kinds of uses!
- Ivory Soap — 10 for 48c  
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- Kitchen Kleenzer — 10 for 47c  
In the sifter top can!

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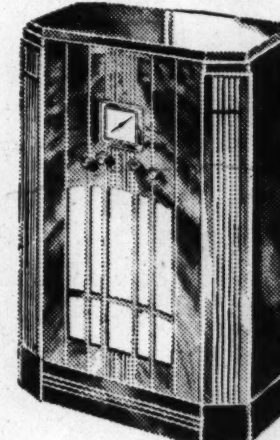
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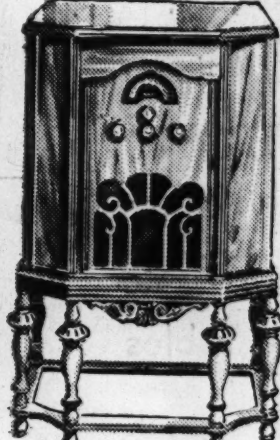
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\$57.50\* M-55 General Electrics \$38.00



\$69.50\* 8-Tube Sparton Radios \$33.75



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- Short and long wave sets!
- Get police calls!
- Two-tone console!
- Airplane dial!
- G. E. dynamic speaker!

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- Get police calls!
- Full-vision dial!
- 2-tone highboy cabinet!
- Large Sparton speaker!

- AC-DC Sets!
- Get police calls!
- Illuminated dial!
- Dynamic speaker!
- Maroon or black finish!

- 1—\$49.50\* Stromberg Carlson, 10 tubes, model 70 — \$265.00
- 15—\$39.95\* Sparton AC-DC 6-tube midrange — \$24.45
- 2—\$129.00\* Sparton All-Wave model 84, 8-tube Radios — \$69.75
- 1—\$99.50\* Sparton All-Wave model 80, 8-tube Radio — \$59.95
- 1—\$250.00\* Stromberg Carlson combination 7-tube, 60PR — \$147.50

- 1—\$75.00\* Stromberg Carlson 7-tube table model — \$39.95
- 1—\$49.95\* Philco 6-tube, model 66L Radio — \$37.75
- 2—\$56.00 RCA Victor 6-tube model 221 Radios — \$38.00
- 1—\$132.50\* General Electric 8-tube all-wave K85 set — \$69.95
- 1—\$255.00\* General Electric 7-tube combination, M89 — \$149.00

NO DOWN PAYMENT

\*List Price

Required on These Radios. Carrying Charge—Monthly Payments!

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Men's Wool-Mixed Socks. 25c and 29c irregular! B lots!  
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Men's Union Suits — \$1. \$1.29 to \$1.50 values! 10% w  
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29c Foulard, Yd. — 15 Cotton foulard remnants... co orfast.  
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5c 'Kerchiefs, Doz. — 49c Men's white cambric handkerchiefs.  
8c 'Kerchiefs, Each — 5c Men's colored woven border 'kerchiefs.  
Women's Neckwear — 35c Charming lace neckwear... wanted styles.  
Women's 'Kerchiefs — 4c Prints and woven border handkerchiefs.  
Women's Raincoats — 65c Slight seconds of 89c grade! Of rubber in popular colors.  
Chambray Shirts — 45c Men's sturdy Work Shirts... triple stitched... with 2 pockets.  
"Boy Blue" Shirts — 55c For boys. Seconds of 88c grade.  
Men's \$1.15 Pajamas — 95c Of broadcloth or cotton flannel-ette.  
Warm Windbreakers — \$1.69 \$2.59 to \$2.95 values! For men or boys.  
\$2.50 Sweaters — \$1.95 Men's coat sweaters with 2 pockets.  
\$1.59 Sweaters — \$1.39 All-wool pullovers for boys! Warm! Zip-up openings!  
\$1.95 Sweaters — \$1.69 Men's brushed-wool pull-over Sweaters... zip-up openings.  
\$1.00 Sweat Shirts — 65c Fleeced lined or Terry cloth... for men.  
Men's \$4.55 Pants — \$3.88 All-wool worsteds and cassimeres. Sizes 28 to 44.  
Moleskin Trousers — \$1.77 Serviceable quality... 29 to 44.  
\$2.95 Corduroy Pantz. \$2.39 Plain and slack styles. 29 to 46.  
\$1.15 Work Trousers — 88c Cottonade fabric... broken sizes.  
\$5.95 Knicker Suits — \$5.00 For boys! Sports-back style coats. Sizes 6 to 16.



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69c to 79c Hosiery — 55c  
Women's full-fashioned chiffons  
of silk.

Men's Wool-Mixed Socks, 15c  
25c and 29c irregulars! Broken  
lots!

Men's Cotton Socks — 14c  
21c and 25c seconds! Seamless...  
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Men's Cotton Socks — 8c  
15c irregulars! Seamless, double  
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**All-Wool Suits**  
Unusual Value!

**\$16**

Men's and young  
men's wool  
suits with  
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sizes. Slight alter-  
ation charge.

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Men's Union Suits — \$1.00  
\$1.29 to \$1.50 values! 10% wool.

Union Suits — 3 for \$1.00  
79c irregulars! Women's... tuck-  
stitch. Small and medium sizes.

79c to 88c Pajamas — 50c  
Women's and misses' balbriggan  
pajamas.

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FIVE AND REDEM FABLE STAMPS—RESTRICTED ARTICLES EXCEPTED

Women's Cotton Bloomers, 10c  
21c seconds! Light-weight cotton  
kind.

Women's Rayon Undies — 19c  
29c to 39c seconds! Strongly rein-  
forced.

35c Shirts or Shorts — 25c  
Broadcloth shorts, slip-on shirts.

Men's Union Suits — 95c  
\$1.25 to \$1.50 values! Heavy or  
light.

Men's Rayon Union Suits, 39c  
88c irregulars! 36 and 38 only!

Balbriggan Underwear — 50c  
Men's shirts or drawers... 79c  
irregulars.

\$1.25 Curtains, Set — 79c  
Ruffled curtains in Priscilla style.

\$1.98 Lace Panels — \$1.39  
Shantung and filet weaves, 42 to  
60-inch.

\$1.49 Rayon Panels — \$1  
Lustrous, rayon gauze... 44x90-  
inch.

\$2.25 Curtains, Set — \$1.69  
Extra wide, Priscilla style... 84 in.  
to 108 in. across top... 2 1/2 yds. long.

Snow Pants — 88c  
\$1.29 value! All-wool  
with knit cuffs. For  
boys 4 and 6.

Boys' Coats, \$2.66  
Sheep-lined, leatherette  
coats... 6 to 16!

Boys' Suits — \$1.55  
Wash-tops and flannel  
shorts. Sizes 5 to 10.

Window Shades, 36c  
65c seconds! Opaque  
kind... 36x72-inch.

Curtains — \$1.69  
\$2.95 value! Tailored  
Curtains... of voile.

Curtains — \$1.05  
\$1.39 value! Tailored...  
with cushion dots.

Springs — \$6.95  
\$8.95 double deck...  
helical tied tops.

Beds — Less 1/4  
\$6.95 to \$14.95 floor  
sample Beds. Marred.

Odd Beds — \$8.95  
\$14.95 to \$19.95 values!  
Panel or poster kinds.

29c Cretonnes, Yd. — 16c  
36-in. wide... beautiful color-  
ings.

25c Marquisette, 5 Yds, 79c  
50 in. wide! French Marquisette.

Penthouse Curtains — Pr. 49c  
Slight seconds! Headed, ready for  
use.

70c Drape Damask — Yd. 39c  
40-in. reversible kind. Many  
colors.

Glazed Chintz, Yd. — 19c  
39c seconds! Highly glazed qual-  
ity.

\$4.95 Bridge Lamps — \$3.69  
Neatly designed... with colorful  
shades.

\$1.95 Vanity Lamps — \$1.79  
Several charming styles... with  
shades.

\$2.59 Bridge Lamps — \$1.59  
Maple finish lamps with shades.

\$1.19 Novelty Lamps — 89c  
Novelty and radio lamps... lim-  
ited quantity.

Card Tables, \$1.10  
\$1.95 value! Fiber-board  
tops... heavy frames.

Smokers — 69c  
\$1.49 value! Metal  
Smokers with trays.

Chairs — \$16.95  
\$29.50 lounge Chairs...  
just 6 offered.

\$2.29 Lamps, \$1.89  
Pottery base Lamps  
with shades to match.

Lamp Shades, \$1.69  
\$1.95 value! Silk top  
shades... some pleated.

Lamp Shades — 23c  
49c value! Paper parch-  
ment shades... junior  
and table sizes.

Cleaners — \$13.50  
\$16.95 rebuilt Eureka  
Vacuum Cleaners. Six  
only.

Smokers — \$4.95  
\$8.95 to \$9.95 values!  
Cabinet type.

Smokers — \$1.95  
\$4.95 value! Walnut fin-  
ish... cabinet type.

\$26.95 Studio Beds — \$19.89  
Box base type... open into 2  
twin beds. Just 4 offered.

Living-Room Suites — \$29.95  
\$49.50 value! Couch and roomy  
chair.

\$14.95 Bookcases — \$10.95  
Solid walnut... neatly designed  
... sturdy.

\$2.49 Coffee Tables — \$1.49  
With removable glass trays. Only  
24.

\$1.98 Small Tables — 89c  
Choose from several attractive  
styles.

Midget Radio Sets — \$8.79  
\$12.95 list price! Complete with  
tubes.

Metal Tube Radios — \$13.79  
\$29.95 list price! "Comet" brand.

Trav-Ler Radios — \$18.79  
\$29.95 list price! Model 55...  
new.

Federal Radios — \$14.79  
\$29.95 list price! Foreign and Amer-  
ican reception.

69c Linen Scarfs — 39c  
Colored fringe scarfs... many  
styles.

Scarf-Vanity Sets — Less 1/2  
39c to \$1.95 values! Odd lots.

\$3.95 Tablecloths — \$2.59  
Italian cut-work cloths. 54x54-  
inch size.

15c Toweling — 10 Yds, \$1  
50% linen toweling... 16-inches  
wide.

## Spring Dresses

In This Event!

**\$2.19**

Specialty priced  
Canton Crepe  
Matelasse and col-  
orful print frocks  
in one-piece style.  
Self or novelty  
trimmed. Sizes 14  
to 44.

Basement Economy Store

Crepe Remnants, Yd. — 18c  
35c grade! Rayon and cotton  
prints.

Blankets — 89c to \$2.39  
Soiled... \$1.25 to \$4 grades! Part  
wool.

39c Seat Covers — 15c  
Bathroom seat covers... odd  
lots.

Specially Purchased Groups and Exceptionally Underpriced Items From Our Own Stocks... at Extraordinary Savings... Make These

# SUPER-VALUE DAYS

An Event That Sets the Value-Pace for 1936! Choose for Every Member of the Family and the Home... Beginning Thursday at 9 A. M.!

39c Tubing, Yard — 19c  
Lady Pepperell... 36 and 40 in.  
widths.

Tissue Gingham, Yd. — 15c  
39c remnants! Sheer tissue ging-  
ham.

29c Foulard, Yd. — 15c  
Cotton foulard remnants... col-  
orfast.

Eyefat Batiste, Yd. — 25c  
39c and 49c values! Odd pieces  
... tubfast.

49c Ascot Scarfs — 29c  
Women's smart Scarfs of silks.

5c 'Kerchiefs, Doz. — 49c  
Men's white cambric handker-  
chiefs.

8c 'Kerchiefs, Each — 5c  
Men's colored woven border 'ker-  
chiefs.

Women's Neckwear — 35c  
Charming lace neckwear... want-  
ed styles.

Women's 'Kerchiefs — 4c  
Prints and woven border hand-  
kerchiefs.

Women's Raincoats — 65c  
Slight seconds of 89c grade! Of  
rubber in popular colors.

Chambray Shirts — 45c  
Men's sturdy Work Shirts... triple  
stitched... with 2 pockets.

"Boy Blue" Shirts — 55c  
For boys. Seconds of 88c grade.

Men's \$1.15 Pajamas — 95c  
Of broadcloth or cotton flannel-  
ette.

Warm Windbreakers — \$1.69  
\$2.59 to \$2.95 values! For men  
or boys.

\$2.50 Sweaters — \$1.95  
Men's coat sweaters with 2 pock-  
ets.

\$1.59 Sweaters — \$1.39  
All-wool pullovers for boys!  
Warm! Zip-up openings!

\$1.95 Sweaters — \$1.69  
Men's brushed-wool pull-over  
Sweaters... zip-up openings.

\$1.00 Sweat Shirts — 65c  
Fleece lined or Terry cloth...  
for men.

Men's \$4.55 Pants — \$3.88  
All-wool worsteds and cassimeres.  
Sizes 28 to 44.

Moleskin Trousers — \$1.77  
Serviceable quality... 29 to 44.

\$2.95 Corduroy Pants, \$2.39  
Plain and slack styles. 29 to 46.

\$1.15 Work Trousers — 88c  
Cottonade fabric... broken sizes.

\$5.95 Knicker Suits — \$5.00  
For boys! Sports-back style coats.  
Sizes 6 to 16.

\$7.95 O'Coat Sets — \$5.55  
For boys... 3 to 6. With leggings.

\$9.95 Leather Coats — \$8.88  
For boys! Sheep or wool lined.  
Broken sizes.

\$2.50 Arch Shoes — \$1.88  
For women! Variety of smart  
styles.

Evening Sandals — \$1.69  
For women! \$2.50 to \$3.45 values!

\$2.64 Footwear — \$1.99  
Women's "Magic" shoes... want-  
ed sizes.

Women's Footwear — 69c  
Sizes 3 to 5 1/2 only! Popular  
leathers.

Women's Slippers — 19c  
49c to 59c grades! Soft or hard  
leather soles. Shopworn.

Boys' \$2.98 Boots — \$1.99  
12-in. height... elk uppers...  
1 to 6.

**\$39.50 Fur Coats**  
Exceptional at  
**\$31**

Northern Seal  
Fur Coats in fit-  
ted models. Smart-  
ly styled with flat-  
tering collar ef-  
fects. Black only.  
in sizes 14 to  
44.

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Men's Footwear — \$2.19  
\$4 seconds! Calf or grained  
leathers.

\$1.94 to \$2.98 Shoes — \$1.66  
Fog misses and children. Noted  
brands.

\$3.88 to \$5 Oxfords — \$2.99  
For men! Known brands. Black or  
brown grains.

Children's Footwear — 59c  
Oxfords, straps and high shoes.  
Slightly shopworn.

Children's Slippers — 19c  
Slightly shopworn... padded  
leather soles.

35c Rag Rugs — 2 for 49c  
Washable kind... 24x36-inch size.

89c Chenille Rugs — 68c  
24x48-in. size... with fringed ends.

\$24.95 Axminster — \$17.44  
9x12-ft. seamless rugs... mottled  
designs.

Carpet Pieces — \$4.88  
\$5.95 to \$7.95 grades! 4.6x6-ft. size.

Vanities — \$7.95  
\$19.95 value! Odd Van-  
ities... sturdy. 4 only.

Chests — \$13.95  
\$19.95 odd Chests of  
Drawers.

78c Shirts — 65c  
Men's noted "Aero"  
broadcloth Shirts.

Mufflers — 79c  
Men's \$1.29 reefers of  
silk or wool.

Men's Gloves — 58c  
Factory rejects. Lined  
or unlined kinds.

Robes — \$1.29  
Men's rayon or cotton  
Robes with girdles.

9x12 Rugs — \$4.64  
\$5.95 seconds! Colorful  
felt-base Rugs.

6x9 Rugs — \$17.88  
\$24.95 seconds! Seam-  
less Axminster Rugs.

Rugs — \$15.44  
\$21 seconds! 8.3x10.6  
seamless Velvets.

9x12 Rugs — \$26.65  
\$39.95 seconds! Heavy  
seamless Axminsters.

Radios — \$4.79  
Used RCA table model  
Radios... with tubes.

Radios — \$9.79  
Used Radios in high-  
boy cabinet style.

Radios — \$13.79  
Used console type sets  
... with tubes.

Radios — \$18.79  
High-boy style... used  
Radio Sets.

Cloths — \$1.99  
\$3 value! 66x66-in. linen  
Tablecloths.

Gingham, Yd. — 10c  
22c grade remnants.  
Plain or checked.

Yarn, Skein — 25c  
Knitting Yarn... soiled  
39c grade! 2-oz. skeins.

\$1 Pillows — 49c  
Novelty lace - trimmed  
bouddie Pillows.

Bed Sheets — 69c  
\$1 irregulars! 63x99-in.  
size Bed Sheets.

98c Bags — 79c  
Underarm and pouch  
styles... for women.

Umbrellas — \$1.29  
\$1.49 to \$1.69 values!  
For men and women.

\$1.49 Gloves — 98c  
Women's slip-on style  
capeskin Gloves.

## Wash Dresses

Regularly \$1!

**74c**



Two Tied Prints.  
Broadcloths and  
Percales for  
misses and ma-  
trons! Light and  
dark grounds...  
sizes 14 to 52.

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Floorcovering, 2 Sq. Yds., 69c  
49c value! 2 yards wide... felt-base.

39c Runner — 2 Yds., 63c  
24-in. wide... felt-base... bordered  
sides.

American Orientals — \$28.88  
\$37.50 seconds! 9x12-foot size.  
Fringed.

Carpeting Remnants, Yd., 94c  
\$1.39 to \$1.79 grades! 27-inch Ax-  
minsters.

Inlaid Linoleum, Sq. Yd., \$1  
\$1.39 to \$1.69 grades! Remnant  
pieces. 4 to 12 sq. yd. size.

Sample Foundations — \$1.39  
\$2 to \$3.50 grades! Girdles, corsets  
or corsettes.

Corsettes or Girdles — \$2.95  
\$3.50 to \$3.75 values! Wanted styles.  
"Rengo Belt" brand.

39c Bandeaux — 25c  
Lace, broche, crepe or mesh. 32-38.

\$1 Foundations — 79c  
Rubber reducing girdles or cor-  
settes.

\$1 Side-Hook Girdles — 68c  
Of novelty fabrics... also step-ins.

\$6.95 Snow Suits — \$4.88  
Girls' 1 and 2 piece styles.

Girls' \$10.95 Coats — \$8.88  
Suede-cloth fabric; some with hats.



**Sale!** beginning Thursday... hundreds of women's... misses'... petites'

## Better Dresses

Stunning New Daytime Styles  
...Very Specially Offered...  
at Truly Remarkable Savings!

\$14.95 and \$16.75 Values

\$ 11

In Our Better Dress Section

¶ An exciting event... if we know one! Dresses to wear now... and jacket frocks on into Spring! Gay prints, smart blacks, brown and navys... dainty pastels! For office... town... school... afternoon parties... and important (but informal) evenings!

Sizes 12 to 20... 38 to 44... and 16½ to 24½!



Beige Aqua Rose

Blacks Brown

Navy Gray

Colorful Prints, Too

Better Dresses—Fourth Floor



### JANUARY FABRIC SPECIAL!

## Washable Rayon Prints

100 Gay, New Patterns for Spring... Tested for Washability and Wearability!

69c yard

¶ First showing of these lovely new prints... Thursday! They're just the kind you've been waiting to see... bright... new... different... of a quality rayon that does not slip at the seams!

For Frocks... Blouses and Smart Suits  
Third Floor



January special on these smart

## Flexees

Foundations and Girdles

\$7.50 Value!

\$5

Corsette: of batiste and batiste Lastex with Twin control back and uplift bra! Boned over abdomen... 34's to 40's.

Girdles: 15-in. length of batiste and batiste Lastex with Twin control back... sizes 26 to 32!

Corsets—Fifth Floor

## Yes! Silver-Plated Hollowware

\$1 to \$24.50 Pieces... 50c to \$12.25

Representing Savings of

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¶ Many lovely pieces... all taken from our regular stocks... and offered at extraordinary savings!

Large and Small Trays... Liquor Bottles, Cocktail Shakers, Relish Dishes, Salts and Peppers, Chop Dishes and Many Others!

Main Floor



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## EYELETS

In a Superlative Value Scoop!

Without Doubt the Latest, Smartest Eyelets It's Possible to Offer at

\$ 2 98 Starting Thursday

All Advance Spring and Summer Styles!

¶ We've staged notable eyelet frock offerings before... but this one surpasses them all! Never have we been able to secure fabrics with so many and such exquisitely worked eyelets in dresses to offer at this price! The variety of the styles, smartness of the fashions and beauty of the workmanship 'also set a new high for an event of this kind!

We Cannot Promise Value Like This Later in the Season!



The Styles:  
Shirtmakers  
Frisly Types  
Sizes...  
14 to 44

The Patterns:  
Lacy Eyelets  
Scroll Eyelets  
Geometric Eyelets  
Bubble Eyelets

The Colors:  
Dubonnet Aqua Maize Navy  
Rust Brown White Green

Year 'Round Cotton Shop—Fifth Floor

D—Sizes  
14 to 42

General

PART TWO

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## Tennessee Governor and Wife in St. Louis



—By a Post-Dispatch Staff Photographer.  
GOV. AND MRS. HILL McALISTER.

## GOV. HILL McALISTER IN CITY FOR ADDRESS

To Talk Tonight—Says His State Is Still Strong for Roosevelt.

President Roosevelt need have no worry about carrying Tennessee next autumn, Gov. Hill McAlister of Tennessee, a Democrat, said on his arrival here today to address the

forty-first annual dinner of the Tennessee Society of St. Louis at the Women's Club tonight. "We were for Roosevelt and we still are for him very strong," the Governor declared.

Gov. McAlister expressed regret over the Supreme Court decision invalidating the Agricultural Adjustment Act and said the State of Tennessee as a whole was anxiously awaiting the court's ruling on the Tennessee Valley Authority, hoping it would be retained.

The AAA and the TVA, he said, were undoubtedly the most important pieces of New Deal legislation affecting his State. Tennessee's chief industry, he explained, was agriculture, including the raising of cotton, tobacco and wheat and the dairy and corn-hog industries.

Another important activity, the textile industry, was "holding its own," he said.

Discussing relief, he said that Tennessee's problem in that respect was as difficult as the problem in any other State since cessation of direct Federal aid Dec. 1.

Gov. McAlister expressed the view that his State would be able in a large measure to handle its relief burden for about six months through a \$1,500,000 bond issue and \$500,000 on hand in addition.

The Governor and his wife were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Holderness, 17 Wydown terrace. Mrs. Holderness, formerly of Tennessee, is a cousin of Mrs. McAlister.

Gov. McAlister attended a luncheon at the Noonday Club of business men formerly of Tennessee.

## 1000 MILES IN 26-FOOT BOAT

Amos Burg Tells of Trip to Cape Horn Territory.

A 1000-mile trip to the Hermit and Wollaston Islands, near Cape Horn, in a 26-foot boat was described by Amos Burg, 33-year-old observer for the National Geographic Society, in an illustrated lecture before the Washington University Association at Soldan High School last night.

Burg sailed from his home in

Portland, Ore., last year in a steamer of the Chilean Government, the small boat with a four-horsepower motor being loaded on the steamer. At Dawson Island, 7000 miles south of Portland, in the Magellan territory south of Chile, he and a member of the crew embarked in the small boat and sailed 1000 miles to Cape Horn territory, then up the Eastern coast of Chile, through heavy storms, where they boarded another steamer and made a second trip around Cape Horn.

## NEW WINDOWS

2'x4'6" x 1 1/4" — 2-Light — \$1.98 18" x 20" x 47" — 6-Light Porch  
2'x4' x 1 1/4" — Storm Sash — \$1.80 Sash — \$1.27 ea.  
Complete Stock of New and Used Building Material at Money-Saving Prices  
COlfax 6375 **ANDREW SCHAEFER** COlfax 6376  
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Any TWO Garments for \$22.50

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THE SUITS include pure wool worsteds, blue and gray serges and scores of patterns in fancy weaves, etc. . . . designed in both men's and young men's models—single and double breasted—splendidly trimmed and finished—take your pick at \$11.85 or any TWO garments for \$22.50.

THE OVERCOATS AND TOPCOATS are tailored in a great variety of styles, including novelty weaves, blue meltons, novelty checks, checks and double checks, etc. . . . both plain and belted models—light—California—dark—choice \$11.85 or TWO garments for \$22.50.

Men's All-Wool Serge Pants, \$3.45

January REDUCTION Sale! PANTS

Men's Sturdy Work Pants, \$1

CAMPUS SLACK PANTS \$1.88  
Young men's Campus Slacks of blue and Oxford gray chevrons, fancy brown and gray tweeds, etc. . . . sizes 28 to 36, \$1.88.

CAMPUS SLACK PANTS \$2.88  
Tailored of all-wool and wool mixed fabrics in solid colors and fancy patterns, made with side ring loops . . . sizes 28 to 36 at \$2.88.

CAMPUS SLACK PANTS \$3.88  
Tailored of all-wool fancy chevrons and worsteds with pleated fronts, ring loops and zipper flies . . . sizes 28 to 36 waist at \$3.88.

MEN'S DRESS PANTS \$2.88  
Tailored of splendid wool faced French back fabric in solid grays and browns as well as fancy mixtures . . . sizes 30 to 50 waist at \$2.88.

Men's Corduroy Pants \$1.99  
Tailored of genuine Hockney corduroy in both narrow and wide wales . . . Union made . . . many colors . . . sizes 28 to 40 at \$1.99.

WHIPCORD BREECHES \$2.88  
Men's and young men's models . . . tailored of heavy close weave whipcord in gray and olive shades . . . button bottoms . . . sizes 28 to 42 at \$2.88.

SUIT PATTERN PANTS \$3.88  
Hundreds of patterns to choose from . . . tailored from short lengths of all-wool suitings in the wanted patterns . . . sizes 28 to 50 waist at \$3.88.

January REDUCTION Sale! OUTING COATS

BLUE MELTON COATS \$3.95  
Men's 100% all-wool blue melton coats in double-breasted half-belted models . . . sizes 36 to 48 at \$3.95.

Men's Leatherette Coats \$4.44  
Sheepskin lined in button-front style with large pockets . . . sizes 34, 36, 38, 44, 46 . . . on sale at \$1.

MEN'S WORK BLOUSES \$1  
Tailored of a good weight gray whipcord in button-front style with large pockets . . . sizes 34, 36, 38, 44, 46 . . . on sale at \$1.

MEN'S LUMBERJACKS \$1  
\$1.95 to \$2.45 quality men's suedeette cloth Lumberjackets . . . some zipper . . . some button . . . reduced to \$1.

January REDUCTION Sale! FURNISHINGS

MEN'S 89c SHIRTS 59c  
2000 men's collar-attached shirts that are easily worth up to 89c . . . tailored of plain white, blue, tan and gray broadcloth as well as fancy printed patterns . . . sizes 14 to 17 in the lot . . . reduced to 59c.

MEN'S FANCY TIES 17c  
Large assortments including striped mogadors, fancy satins, fancy figures, etc. . . . 25c and 29c values . . . reduced to 17c . . . 3 for 50c.

MEN'S WORK SHIRTS 35c  
Men's blue chambray work shirts with two pockets . . . triple stitched across the shoulders . . . 50c values . . . reduced to 35c . . . 3 for \$1.

EXTRA SIZE SHIRTS 69c  
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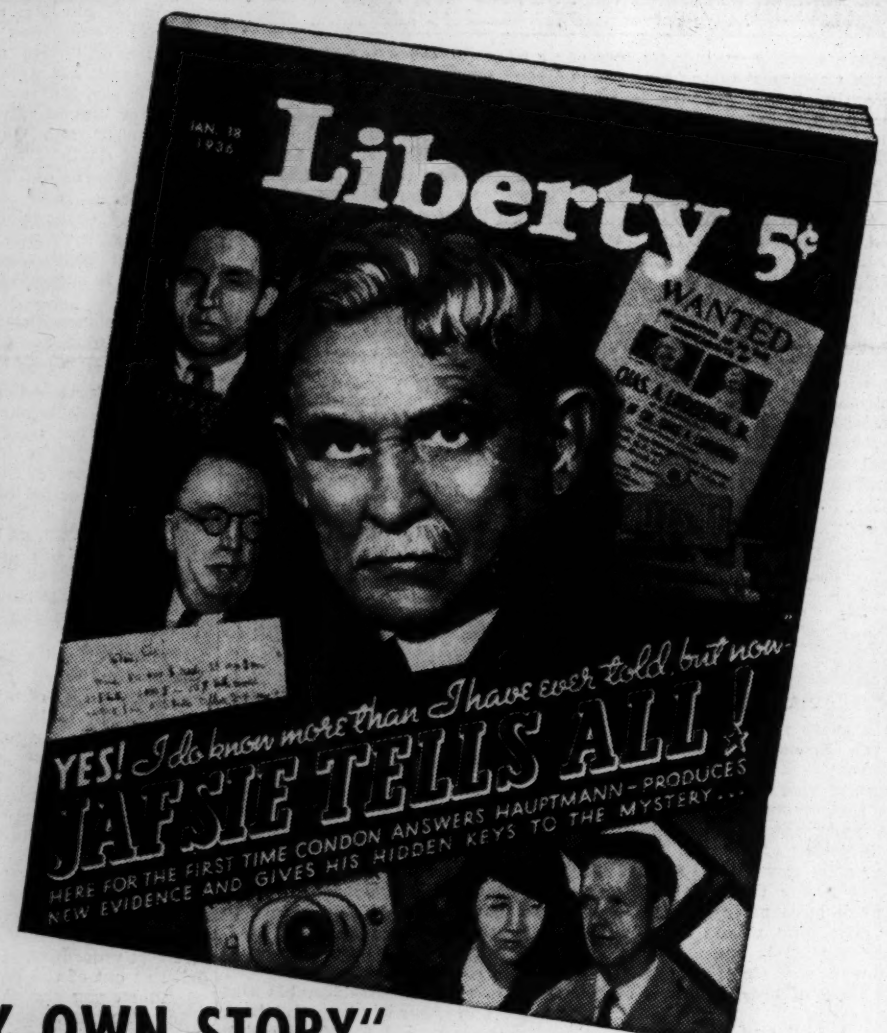
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## LINEUPS AND SUMMARY

The papers, the World-Telegram and the Post, disagreed as to whether Berkeley Bell, who turned recently, would be ranked. World-Telegram said Bell, who enjoyed a highly successful season, would be ranked No. 11. The Post said he would not be ranked at all.

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**Basket Star Scores 35 Points**  
OKMULGEE, Ok., Jan. 8.—The winning above all other players, F. Berger, 6-foot-8½-inch Northern Junior College center, scored 35 points as he led his team from Miami, Ok., to a 79-to-30 victory last night over Okmulgee in the basketball team.

**GRINNELL FIVE, 28-23**  
The Associated Press.  
TULSA, Ok., Jan. 8.—The Tulsa University basketball team opened its Missouri Valley schedule here tonight with a 28 to 23 victory over Grinnell.  
The Tulsans played a hard and fast game while their Iowa opponents were sluggish.  
The visitors held a lead until half time, but the first period was gone, when they lost it and were never in front again. The score at the half favored Tulsa, 14 to 9.

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PETZLAFF SAYS

**WOMEN, TO BE MARRIED**  
The Associated Press.  
**LITTLE FALLS, N. Y., Jan. 8.** — **—**  
"Hal" Schumacher, star  
player for the New York Giants,  
is to be married next summer  
to Miss Alice Sullivan of Dolge-  
springs.  
The engagement was an-  
nounced Monday. Miss Sullivan is  
a graduate of Elmira College and is  
a teacher of dramatic arts in  
Bradford (Pa.) high school.  
Schumacher was a star pitcher for  
Lawrence University in his  
college days.

**EDS WILL DO PART  
OF SPRING TRAINING  
IN PUERTO RICO**

By the Associated Press.  
CINCINNATI, Jan. 8.—Powel  
rosley, president of the Cincinnati  
eds, announced today acceptance  
of the National League club of an  
invitation to do part of its spring  
training in Puerto Rico.  
The club will be the first major  
league outfit to visit the island.  
Players will start the trip from  
New York, Feb. 6.

BOSTON, Jan. 2.—Herb Penness, veteran pitcher who ran the Red Sox Piedmont League farm at Charlotte, N. C., last season, has been engaged to coach the Red Sox nonstop staff at the Sarasota (Fla.) training camp.

Eddie Collins, who departed from Boston last night for visits to New York, Philadelphia and Charlotte, has appointed George "Specs" Towles, former St. Louis Cardinal infielder and manager of the Red Sox Piedmont League farm, which he said, may be moved out of Charlotte for lack of Sunday baseball.

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Gold medal for distinguished military achievement from Gen. Malin Craig, Army Chief of Staff, on June 8. The group includes: William A. Hollister, Aurora, Ill.; and E. K. Means, St. Joseph, Mo.

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PART THREE

## SALARIES GIVEN OUT UNDER LITTLE REMEMBERED LAW

1934 Revenue Act Clause  
Requires Report to Con-  
gress of Recipients of  
More Than \$15,000.

AIM OF SPONSORS  
TO GIVE PUBLICITY

Additional Earnings An-  
nounced Include S. S.  
Kresge, \$107,000; B. P.  
Schulberg, \$145,583.

Post-Dispatch Bureau,  
201-205 Kellogg Building.  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—As the  
result of an almost forgotten clause  
in the Internal Revenue Act of  
1934 names and salaries of not only  
officers of corporations but of em-  
ployees as well, officers who receive  
more than \$15,000 a year compensa-  
tion from corporations paying  
Federal income tax have been made  
public.

The Treasury Department sent to  
the Speaker of the House and the  
Vice-President, as presiding officer  
of the Senate, two fat volumes, one  
an index volume, and the other the  
roster of salaried employees paid  
more than \$15,000. After some dis-  
cussion the names were made pub-  
lic by Chairman Doughton of the  
House Ways and Means Commit-  
tee, responsible for initiating all  
tax legislation.

Colin F. Stam, counsel for the  
joint committee on internal revenue  
taxation, explained that the names  
and salaries were made public  
in the absence of any provision  
by Congress for secrecy. It was  
the intention of the Senators who  
sponsored the amendment, accord-  
ing to Stam, to give publicity to  
"high" salaries.

Wordings of Clause.  
The amendment under which the  
names were given out reads as fol-  
lows:

"Under regulations prescribed by  
the commissioner (of internal re-  
venue) with the approval of the se-  
cretary (of the treasury), every cor-  
poration subject to taxation under  
this title shall in its return submit  
a list of the names of all officers and  
employees of such corporations and  
the respective amounts paid to  
them during the taxable year by  
the corporation as salary, commis-  
sion, bonus or other compensation  
for personal service rendered, if  
the aggregate amount so paid to the  
individual is in excess of \$15,000.  
The Secretary shall submit an an-  
nual report to Congress compiled  
from the returns made containing  
the names of and amounts paid to  
each such officer and employee and  
the name of the paying corpora-  
tion."

This amendment was introduced  
in the spring of 1934 by Senator  
Kenneth McKellar (Dem.), Ten-  
nessee. McKellar and Senator Thomas  
P. Gore (Dem.), Oklahoma, had  
introduced six amendments limiting  
the amount of salary paid to an in-  
dividual which might be deducted  
from a corporation's gross income  
as operating expense. In the course  
of the debate on these amendments  
Gore referred to large bonuses paid  
to officers of the Bethlehem Steel  
Corporation and declared that stock-  
holders should be protected from  
such practices in some way.

Compromise for McKellar.  
An amendment introduced by  
McKellar would have disallowed  
any deduction for salaries above  
\$50,000 a year. Democratic leaders  
in the Senate did not give this their  
support and it was voted down. Mc-  
Kellar then introduced the amend-  
ment giving publicity to all salaries  
above \$15,000 and to compensate  
him for the defeat of his original  
amendment Chairman Pat Harrison  
of the Senate Committee on Finance  
gave the publicity proposal perfunctory  
indorsement. It was passed  
without debate and became a law  
on May 10, 1934.

The Securities and Exchange  
Commission requires that corpora-  
tions listing their securities on an  
exchange file with the commission  
a list of all officers and their sal-  
aries. These lists are made public  
under the general powers of the  
commission in the interest of in-  
vestors. On the request of a cor-  
poration for secrecy, however, the  
commission may, if it is determined  
that disclosure to business, with-  
out the salary information. Recently  
the salary list of officers of the  
General Motors Corporation was  
for a time withheld on request of  
the company that it be given con-  
fidential treatment, but after a  
hearing before the commission it  
was decided that it was in the pub-  
lic interest to make the salaries  
known and they were given out.

An interesting revelation in the  
list of salaries was that the head  
of an advertising agency received  
\$23,119, while two vice-presidents  
got \$40,843 and \$45,360.

Additional Salaries.  
Among salaries made public are  
the following in addition to those  
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## Norman Thomas Calls for End Of 'Judicial Oligarchy' in U. S. As Destroyer of Democracy

Thinks AAA Decision Completes Picture of  
Court Dictation—Black Says 'Five  
Men Now Rule.'

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CAMDEN, N. J., Jan. 8.—Nor-  
man Thomas, Socialist leader, in  
an address here last night, dis-  
cussed the Supreme Court's de-  
cision invalidating the Agricultural  
Adjustment Act as follows:

"Through three years of depres-  
sion the President and Congress of  
the United States, unquestionably  
representing the people, have been  
enacting an elaborate legislative  
and administrative program to deal  
with the depression in what they  
think are the interests of the peo-  
ple. Now six old men on the Su-  
preme Court of the United States,  
against three of their colleagues, have  
handed down a decision which prac-  
tically destroys the program which  
has been set up. Add this to the  
earlier opinion, which was unan-  
imous, dooming the NRA, and we  
have a complete picture of judicial  
oligarchy."

"In the AAA case the three ablest  
lawyers on the court in bitter  
words characterized the majority  
position as 'a tortured construction  
of the Constitution.'"

"To challenge this sort of Gov-  
ernment is not to challenge the  
honesty or ability of the Judges.  
It is not primarily a question  
whether the New Deal program  
was good. As a Socialist, I have  
been and am its bitter and strenu-  
ous critic, but as a believer in  
some sort of democracy and some  
sort of efficiency of government—  
in something, in short, other than  
the pure hypocrisy which calls a  
judicial oligarchy democracy—I  
join with my comrades in demand-  
ing immediate and drastic action  
to end this government by judges."

"It is possible that Socialist legis-  
lation for the direct ownership of  
the means of production could be  
enforced under the Constitution  
better than regulation, but in terms  
of the Supreme Court decision  
means that any Socialist  
government on taking office would  
be paralyzed by the power of the  
court or by fear of that power."

"The whole hope of orderly  
change, of substantial change by  
peaceful method depends upon an  
end of this judicial oligarchy, this  
Government by the dead hand of a  
Constitution which is given living  
power by the particular political  
and economic doctrines of the old  
men on the Supreme Court bench."

"Once more, as so often before,  
we Socialists, long in advance of  
Democrats, saw the danger. Also  
we have prepared for it. It be-  
comes the most important single  
immediate task of the party and of  
the entire labor movement to push  
the workers' rights amendment. It  
may, perchance, need a certain de-  
gree of verbal revision in the light  
of this decision, but as an amend-  
ment it deals constructively with  
the problem of making democracy  
constitutional in the United States  
of America."

"Our workers' rights amendment  
in substance gives Congress power  
to do what is necessary for the

economic and social well-being of  
the people, but it in no way invali-  
dates the Bill of Rights which guar-  
antees to us our civil and religious  
freedom or takes from the Supreme  
Court the power of review of laws  
affecting it. The Supreme Court  
has also allowed this guarantee to  
be whittled down in times of emer-  
gency, but it is still somewhat of a  
protection for civil and religious lib-  
erty; the justification for the pres-  
ervation of the privilege to exploit  
under cover of State rights."

"Five Men Now Rule U. S.," Black's  
Bitter Comment.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Natu-  
rally the Supreme Court's 6 to 3 de-  
cision against the Agricultural Ad-  
justment Act has been the prin-  
cipal topic of conversation in the  
capital since it was handed down  
Monday. The comment has ranged  
from simple acquiescence and ap-  
proval to violent denunciation. Il-  
lustrative of the extremity of the  
reaction was a statement by Sen-  
ator Black (Dem.), Alabama, au-  
thor of the Black 30-hour week bill  
and a prominent supporter of the  
Roosevelt New Deal in Congress.

Black said the decision means  
that "five men now rule 120,000,000  
people."

Asked whether he shared the  
opinion of some legislators that nu-  
merous other New Deal statutes  
are slated for the judicial ax, Black  
said:

"Under this decision they have  
left themselves free to decide all  
legislation in any manner they see  
fit. They have thrown away the  
charts."

"While the decision appears to  
be a limitation of the powers of the  
Federal Government, it is in fact  
an expansion," Black emphasized.  
He said that the Court had for  
the first time decided on the doc-  
trine of "implied" powers support-  
ed by Alexander Hamilton and op-  
posed by Thomas Jefferson, and  
had in fact "gone even beyond the  
Hamilton theory."

Black contended that the Court,  
after conferring extra power on the  
Federal Government, immediately  
"appropriated it for itself."

"The result is," he said, "that the  
Court has with one sweeping move-  
ment gathered in all power for the  
Federal Government but has lim-  
ited the exercise of that power to  
the judicial branch and has com-  
pletely subjugated both the legisla-  
tive and executive functions."

Government policies, he said,  
will be subject to the "whim, the  
caprice or the belief of a majority  
of the Supreme Court appointive  
Judges."

Black declined to say what steps,  
if any, he would take to remedy  
this alleged situation, but empha-  
sized:

"Heretofore it has been the proud  
boast of the people of this country  
that it is ruled by laws, not by  
men. This decision makes it a  
country not ruled by laws but by  
men—five being enough to rule  
120,000,000."

## 'WILD BILL' DONOVAN AT ITALIAN FRONT

American Colonel Permitted to  
Visit Battle Line at  
Makale.

(Copyright, 1936.)

KHARTOUM, Egypt, Jan. 7.—  
Col. William (Wild Bill) Donovan,  
one of America's outstanding  
World War heroes, went to the It-  
alian front at Makale today to get a  
battle line view of the fighting in  
Ethiopia.

Donovan was on his way to the  
first glimpse of fighting he has  
had since 1918, when the writer left  
Ammara by airplane for Khartoum.  
It was reported that the former  
United States Assistant Attorney-  
General was in Eritrea as the rep-  
resentative of American industrial  
interests.

The Italian censor forbade refer-  
ence to Donovan in news dispatches  
filed from Ammara.

In the British capital, Donovan  
was the guest of the Vice-Governor.  
He was escorted to the front, de-  
spite the fact that Lieutenant-Colo-  
nel del Valle of the U. S. Marine  
Corps, assistant naval attaché at  
the American legation in Rome,  
who is in Ammara, has been un-  
able to obtain permission to visit the  
fighting lines.

Donovan was three times wound-  
ed in action in France. He received  
the Congressional Medal of Honor,  
the Distinguished Service Cross and  
the Distinguished Service Medal.  
He was one of only two men who  
received all three of these Ameri-  
can decorations during the World  
War.

Home Loan Bank Board Directors.  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—The  
Federal Home Loan Bank Board  
announced today election of two di-  
rectors-at-large for each of 11 Fed-  
eral Home Loan Banks. They in-  
clude: Dr. Meinen (La.), bank, Rob-  
ert M. Clayton, Hannibal, Mo., for  
one year; John F. Scott, St. Paul,  
Minn., for two years.

## SPECIAL SESSION ON RELIEF CALLED BY ILLINOIS GOVERNOR

Horner Acts After Federal Gov-  
ernment Refuses to Give  
Further Aid.

By the Associated Press.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Jan. 8.—Gov.  
Horner yesterday called a second  
special session of the Legislature  
to convene this afternoon to consid-  
er the relief situation.

The call, following the Federal  
Government's refusal to give fur-  
ther financial aid to the state, gave  
the Legislature wide latitude in  
considering means of caring for the  
poor.

The call emphasized, however,  
that the Governor was opposed to  
an increase in the sales tax, which  
is now 3 per cent, but expected the  
Assembly to appropriate \$2,500,000  
immediately from the general re-  
venue fund for use until Feb. 15.

The Governor, who personally ap-  
pealed to President Roosevelt for  
additional Federal funds, said the  
crisis was "due to the failure of the  
Federal Works Progress Adminis-  
tration in Illinois to measure up  
to expectations."

He charged that "other persons  
connected with the relief adminis-  
trator or with responsibility in  
the matter apparently have done  
their best to help discourage the  
Federal Government from aiding  
this State."

Horner said WPA had fallen  
short by 42,000 of the number of  
persons it had promised to take  
from relief rolls.

## KING ZOG'S SISTER ENGAGED

Princess Semije to Be Bride of  
Prince Abdi.

By the Associated Press.

TIRANA, Albania, Jan. 8.—The  
Court of King Zog today announced  
the engagement of the King's third  
sister, Princess Semije, to Prince  
Abdi.

The Princess, 28 years old, has  
assisted her brother in his efforts  
to modernize the nation. Abdi also  
has been active in the campaign to  
develop Albania.

## INSURANCE FIRMS CHIEF HOLDERS OF MO. PAC. BONDS

Metropolitan Life Invest-  
ment Has Face Value of  
\$14,971,000, Pruden-  
tial's \$11,781,000.

Insurance companies, Eastern  
banks and investment trusts were  
shown as the principal holders of  
large blocks of bonds of the Mis-  
souri Pacific Railroad and its sub-  
sidiaries in a list of bondholders  
filed in Federal Court today in con-  
nection with the railroad's petition  
for reorganization under the  
amended bankruptcy act.

The list of about 20,000 owners of  
bonds of various issues, quotations  
for all of which look like tempera-  
ture readings during a cold wave,  
was filed by the trustee at the re-  
quest of Judge George H. Moore  
who is administering the affairs of  
the railroad. It includes holders of  
bonds during the last three years.

The Alleghany Corporation, Van  
Swearingen railroad holding com-  
pany, was the third largest holder  
with bonds of a face value of \$11,  
152,000. O. P. Van Swearingen is  
chairman of the board of the Mis-  
souri Pacific. His brother, M. J.  
Van Swearingen, recently died.

Exceeding these holdings were  
those of the Metropolitan Life In-  
surance Co., with \$14,971,000 and  
the Prudential Insurance Co., \$11,  
781,000.

Other Bondholders.  
Other holders of \$1,000,000 or  
more were Equitable Life Assur-  
ance Society of the United States,  
\$3,758,000; New York Life Insur-  
ance Co., \$3,143,000; Northwestern  
Mutual Life Insurance Co., Mil-  
waukee, Wis., \$2,210,000; John Han-  
cock Life Insurance Co., \$2,862,000;  
Guaranty Trust Co., New York, \$2,  
090,000; Aetna Life Insurance Co.,  
\$2,050,000; Atlas Corporation, Jer-  
sey City, N. J., \$2,016,000; General  
American Investors' Corporation,  
New York, \$1,991,000; Mutual Life  
Insurance Co. of New York, \$1,600,  
000; National Shawmut Bank of  
Boston, \$1,278,500; First National  
Bank of Boston, \$1,155,500; New  
England Mutual Life Insurance Co.,  
Boston, \$1,200,000; Insurance Co. of  
North America, Philadelphia, \$1,  
040,000; Mutual Benefit Life Insur-  
ance Co., Newark, N. J., \$1,000,000.

The Missouri Improvement Co.,  
wholly owned Missouri Pacific sub-  
sidiary, also was listed as holder  
of bonds for \$2,994,000. The West-  
ern Coal & Mining Co., also a sub-  
sidiary, held \$394,000.

Some St. Louis Holders.  
The General American Life Insur-  
ance Co. of St. Louis held \$450,000.  
Other St. Louis bondholders in-  
cluded: First National Bank, \$545,  
000; Mercantile-Commerce Bank &  
Trust Co., \$278,000; Mississippi Val-  
ley Trust Co., \$136,500; Security Na-  
tional Bank Savings & Trust Co.,  
\$91,500; American Automobile In-  
surance Co., Pierce Building, \$80,  
000; St. Louis Union Trust Co., \$40,  
000; American Central Insurance  
Co., \$30,000; Guaranty Plaza Trust  
Co., predecessor of the Plaza Bank,  
\$30,000.

Yale University was listed as the  
holder of \$710,000; Princeton Uni-  
versity, \$300,000; Vanderbilt Uni-  
versity, Nashville, Tenn., \$200,000;  
and Cornell University, Ithaca, N.  
Y., \$100,000.

Large blocks were held by the  
following: Massachusetts Mutual  
Life Insurance Co., Springfield,  
Mass., \$975,000; Blue Ridge Cor-  
poration, Jersey City, N. J., \$933,000;  
New Orleans, Texas & Mexico Rail-  
way Co., controlled by the Missouri  
Pacific, \$822,300; United States  
and Foreign Securities Co., New  
York, \$811,000; Penn Mutual Life  
Insurance Co., Philadelphia, \$740,  
000; Home Insurance Co., New  
York, \$650,000; Corn Exchange  
Bank Trust Co., New York, \$523,  
000; Society for Savings, Cleveland,  
\$450,000; Scudder, Stevens & Clark,  
Boston, \$326,000; Equity Corpora-  
tion, Jersey City, N. J., \$455,000;  
U. S. Fidelity & Guaranty Co., Bal-  
timore, Md., \$400,000; Travelers' In-  
surance Co., Hartford, Conn., \$310,  
000; First of Boston Corporation,  
\$376,000; Home Life Insurance Co.,  
New York, \$375,000; National Lib-  
erty Insurance Co. of America,  
\$375,000; Shenandoah Corporation,  
Jersey City, N. J., \$268,000; Adams  
Express Co., \$258,000; First Nation-  
al Bank, Baltimore, Md., \$249,000;  
First National Bank, Chicago, \$212,  
000.

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## CHURCH NOTICES.

## CAN GOD?

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for God; 10,000 Miles of Mir-  
acle in Britain; 10,000 Miles of  
Miracle to Moscow; 10,000  
Miles of Miracle to Palestine;  
Thursday, 7:45 P. M.

All Seats Free. Come Early.

4000 WASHINGTON

## Italian Native Soldiers Waiting to Cross Ethiopian River



SCENE on the southern front during a recent offensive by the Ethiopians. The Fascist troops, at a  
crude landing, are ready to go aboard boats.

## HOUSE COMMITTEE REPORTS INDEPENDENT OFFICES BILL

Cuts \$47,600,000 From Budget Es-  
timates; Total \$47,500,000 More  
Than Last Year's.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—The  
House Appropriations Committee  
reported yesterday an independent  
office supply bill \$47,601,861 below  
budget estimates.

The committee, following the an-  
nounced intention of Chairman Bu-  
chanan of Texas to keep ordinary  
expenditures within the \$5,000,000,  
1936-37 fiscal year, recommended  
an outlay of \$879,743,905 for the 24  
commissions and boards covered by  
the supply measure. That was \$74,  
509,747 more than the allowance  
for the preceding fiscal year.

The committee said savings over  
budget requests were effected, with  
one exception, without denying the  
agencies the amounts approved for  
them by the Budget Bureau. This  
was done by reappropriating unex-  
pended balances of previous appro-  
priations and then reducing the  
new appropriations out of the Treas-  
ury by a corresponding amount.

## NAZIS SELLING GERMAN ART ON MONTHLY PAYMENT PLAN

Culture League's Scheme to Aid  
Artists; Painters Employed in  
Public Buildings.

By the Associated Press.

BERLIN, Jan. 7.—The Nazi Cul-  
ture League is financing sale of  
German art works in 24 monthly  
payments. The artists receive their  
money in a lump sum.

The scheme is one of many de-  
signed to encourage the arts, seri-  
ously affected by increased living  
costs of artists and diminished in-  
comes of patrons.

Another plan is the hiring of un-  
employed painters to decorate rail-  
road and elevated railway stations  
and public buildings.

To help destitute entertainers, the  
Artistic Union has produced 3500  
vaudeville performances. Others  
are planned.

Oldtime favorites, no longer pop-  
ular, are being helped to prepare  
for other professions.

## AMENDMENT TO ALLOW U. S. FARM CONTROL OFFERED

Dickstein Author of Proposal, Cov-  
ering All Transactions in Agri-  
cultural Commodities.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Rep-  
resentative Dickstein (Dem.), New  
York, has introduced a resolution  
proposing an amendment to the  
Constitution which he said "would  
prevent future adverse decisions by  
the Supreme Court regarding the  
validity of acts of Congress de-  
signed to provide Federal control  
of farm products and transactions  
in agricultural commodities by  
which Congress endeavors to pro-  
mote agriculture throughout the  
country."

In a statement, Dickstein said his  
amendment delegated to Congress  
power "to make all laws necessary  
to promote agriculture throughout  
the United States, including all  
transactions in agricultural com-  
modities, and control over farm  
production."

Rickett Said to Have Gone Home.

By the Associated Press.

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London as his destination, was said  
by acquaintances today to have  
taken a train for home. He insisted  
the Ethiopian oil concession he ob-  
tained for American oil interests  
still "stands pat."

## JAPAN OPPOSES PLAN TO TRADE NAVY DATA

Won't Discuss French and  
Italian Proposals Until  
Tonnage Is Settled.

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Japanese dele-  
gates, it was learned tonight, have  
declined to discuss French and  
Italian naval building program pro-  
posals at the London naval confer-  
ence until the question of total ton-  
nage and limitation of fleets is  
settled.

Admiral Osami Nagano, of the  
Japanese delegation, asserted the  
French and Italian plans do not  
provide for increases in the size of  
navies, make no reduction in ex-  
penditures for naval construction  
and favor the British and Ameri-  
cans without benefiting Japan.

The conference was adjourned  
today until Friday after the Jap-  
anese had registered objections to  
French, Italian and British pro-  
posals for an exchange of fleet con-  
struction information. Admiral  
Nagano made no direct comment  
on the British proposal for ex-  
changing building information, and  
it was expected this plan would be  
discussed Friday.

British officials viewed the situa-  
tion as unencouraging, but pointed  
out the Japanese still are willing  
to remain at the conference and  
that discussion, therefore, will con-  
tinue.

The Japanese observations, it was  
learned, were "far-reaching," Naga-  
no stressing the Japanese require-  
ment for an agreement on total ton-  
nage as a prerequisite to any other  
agreement.

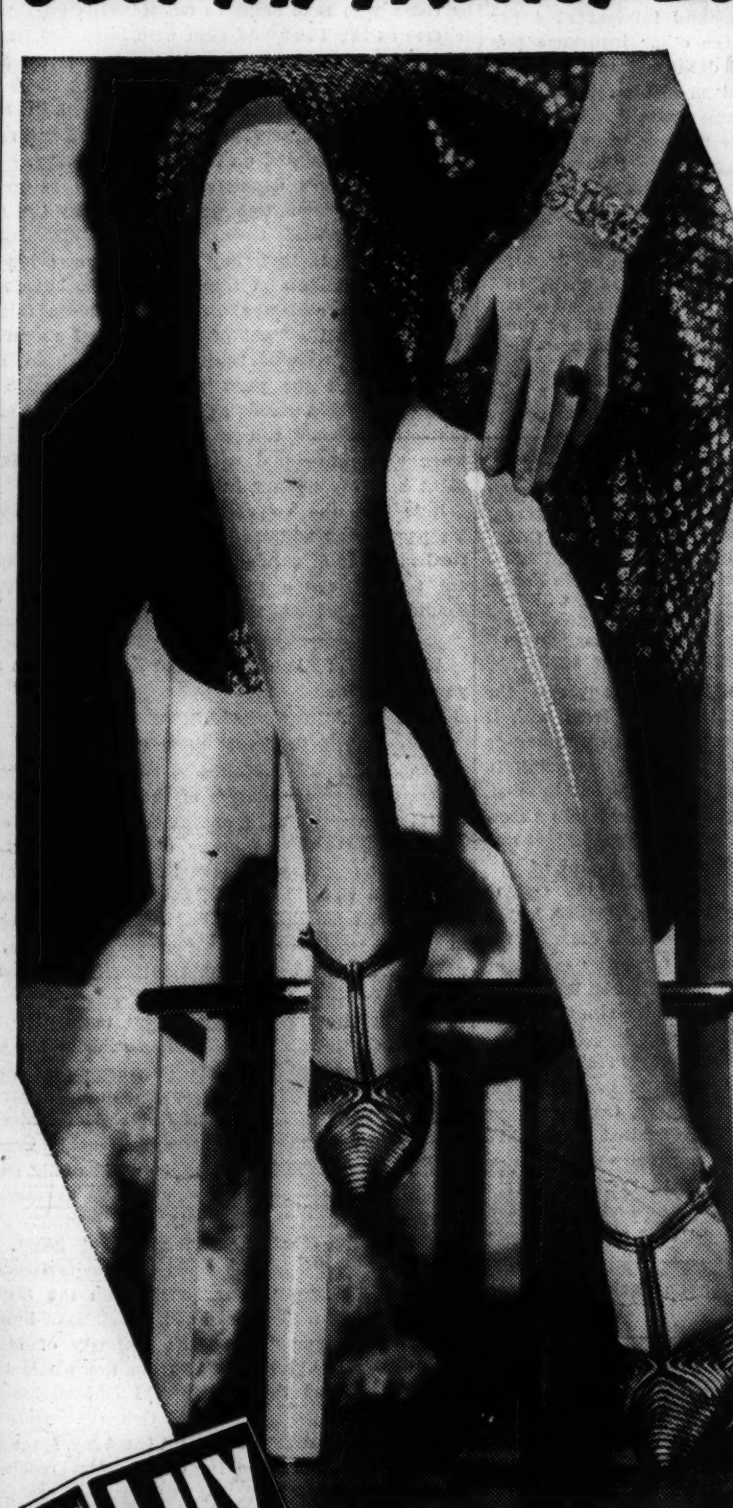
The Americans were known to fa-  
vor the principle of exchange of na-  
val information, considering it a  
step toward continued restrictions  
on fleets after the expiration, at the  
end of next year, of the Washing-  
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## "JUST MY FROWSY LUCK—ANOTHER RUN"



Then she learned  
about elasticity—now  
almost never gets a run!

STOCKING RUNS were constantly  
spoiling dates for Phyllis Stowers... and  
running into money! She thought she was  
plain unlucky...

"I didn't see how the way I washed stock-  
ings could make any difference," she says.  
"But at a friend's suggestion I decided to  
give Lux a try."

"Instead of rubbing my stockings with  
cake soap the way I used to, I squeezed  
them through Lux suds."

"Was I surprised! Stockings last twice as  
long as they ever used to."

Lux cuts down needless runs because it  
saves stocking elasticity.

Soaps with harmful alkali, and cake-  
soap rubbing weaken elasticity. Then  
threads are apt to snap—runs start. Why  
not try Lux yourself? It's a grand econ-  
omy—saves dollars in stocking bills!

"HERE'S THE WAY I make  
stockings last longer: I whip up  
some lukewarm Lux suds in my  
bathroom bowl. Then turn my  
stockings inside out, dip them  
into the rich suds—rinse twice  
in clear water. It's wonderful  
stocking insurance!"

Phyllis Stowers

—saves stocking E-L-A-S-T-I-C-I-T-Y



## ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH

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## THE POST-DISPATCH PLATFORM

I know that my retirement will make no difference in its cardinal principles; that it will always fight for progress and reform, never tolerate injustice or corruption, always fight for the rights of the people, never belong to any party, always oppose privileged classes and public plunderers, never lack sympathy with the poor, always remain devoted to the public welfare; never be satisfied with merely printing news; always be drastically independent; never be afraid to attack wrong, whether by predatory plutocracy or predatory poverty.

JOSEPH PULITZER.  
April 10, 1907.

## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

The name and address of the author must accompany every contribution, but on request will not be published. Letters not exceeding 200 words will receive preference.

## Reminder for the Legion.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:  
While a conglomerate of opposing forces is making such a tragic spectacle of the world, it does seem a shame that would-be peacemakers, especially in these United States, cannot or will not find common ground for united action in their great objective.

Perhaps some such thought motivates the American Legion in its efforts to coerce the American public into abiding by the Legion's decisions. Even so, when such an organization as the American Legion asserts, as quoted in your splendid editorial, "Fascism in Illinois," that the American Legion has "the only workable plan for peace and will not tolerate the presentation of any other plan," it is high time for all of us to sit up and take notice.

For years, I've been under the impression that the American Legion, in spite of some of its activities, was dedicated to the preservation of this country as a democracy. This in spite of the fact that it is usurping power to keep pacifists from schools, although it has the avowed intention of polluting the schools with its sort of patriotism, a baffling kind, since it allows forced premature payment of the bonus on a Government already sorely tried financially. The Legion, like other "patriotic" organizations, is even trying to destroy our freedom because of its fear of Communism.

But in spite of all this, I've tried to believe that it is essentially a peacekeeper devoted to our best interests. That is, until I heard a speech broadcast during the last Legion convention by a Legion leader, lobbyist, press agent and propagandist, who said that this country is primarily a business nation, and as such will continue to trade with belligerents regardless of consequences, which, of course, means war. We must protect our cotton markets, etc. Hence the pushing of an outlandish "defense" program. We're going into the next war; we might as well win.

All in all, he said more than all the Communists propaganda I've yet come across to convince me that capitalism breeds wars. And he was, evidently, a Legion spokesman from behind the scenes, and because of his position of influence, the American Legion should be held responsible for his activities.

I think we'd do well to remind the American Legion that we have duly elected representatives to take care of our legislation, and the Legion, as such, has no right to force its legislative program, whatever its merits, upon the people of our nation. After all, this is a democracy.

## AVERAGE CITIZEN.

Persecutions in Germany and Mexico.  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:  
When I read of Mr. McDonald's reasons for resigning as League Commissioner for relief of German refugees, your recent editorial on the Mexican situation came immediately to my mind. I most certainly agree with Mr. McDonald that the considerations of human suffering should supersede those of diplomatic correctness.

The Knights of Columbus are not asking the United States to intervene, but to stop intervening in Mexican affairs by stopping the sale of arms to the despotic Government of Mexico.

NELLIE CUNNINGHAM.

## For the Townsend Plan.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:  
I READ with a great deal of interest your editorial entitled "Menace of the Townsend Plan." You scout the plan and say it will not work. There is much more proof that the Townsend plan will work than that it won't work.

Surely, it will cost more to live under it, but 24 billion dollars pouring into the channels of industry each year as a revolving fund, instead of being dammed up in banks and taken out of circulation otherwise, will redistribute wealth and put money into the hands of the masses to buy the things they need in spite of the increase in price.

If the New Deal doesn't give us justice and security, we shall turn elsewhere, but not back to the Old Deal that brought about one of the worst depressions known to our land. I have been in favor of the New Deal, and am yet to a great extent, but the social-security program doesn't meet the situation at all. It may be a step in the right direction, but it is absolutely inadequate.

Thousands and thousands of people during the panic lost jobs and are too old to accumulate again for old age. Those people helped to make this country what it is today. They demand justice and security in old age. They deserve it, too. Times are better, to be sure; industry is making profits, wages are very good and the farmer's condition is a great comeback through the AAA, but what is to be done about the aged and the unemployed?

You speak of "inflation, swiftly rising costs, crushing taxation and a virtual stoppage of business," as results of the Townsend plan's adoption. That will not occur if business is willing to take only a fair profit.

J. F. BURTON.  
Lena, Ill.

## THE BONUS.

Without a single dissent, the powerful Ways and Means Committee of the House of Representatives has approved a bill for immediate payment of the soldier bonus. Chairman Doughton is now proceeding to grease the ways for a vote by Friday. When it comes, the bill, barring miracles, will pass by an overwhelming majority. There is no hope it can be stopped in the Senate, nor, if it is vetoed by the President, is it likely that the veto will be sustained.

Here is a superb example of how a powerful minority, in this case the veterans' organizations, has been able over a short period of years to win Congress over to a proposition in defiance of logic, good sense and justice. In reality, the bonus is a national issue, to be decided only in terms of national welfare. But by working on each member of Congress in his own district and on each Senator in his own state, the veterans have transformed it into a local issue. That is, each member of Congress has been informed that his chances for re-election depend largely on his position toward the bonus legislation. It is the same tactic that was employed so successfully by the Anti-Saloon League and it is at this moment being used by Father Coughlin and Dr. Townsend.

Here is a species of distortion of the democratic principle that may well give cause for alarm. If Congress is to continue to be vulnerable to the pressure of minority groups in matters contrary to the national interest, a grave defect in our system is disclosed. Wayne B. Wheeler, late brilliant head of the Anti-Saloon League, perfected the technique. The veterans have borrowed it and found it good. There is no reason why it cannot be used for any harum-scarum scheme in the brain of any astute professional organizer—barring, of course, the demonstration by Congress of a stiffening in its powers of resistance.

The bonus bill was originally passed by Congress in 1922. It was theoretically designed to equalize the pay received by men in the service with the more lucrative pay received by those who stayed at home. Of course, no such equalization was possible, nor is it an American principle that patriotism has a money value. But, in discussion of the bonus, neither mathematics nor principles play the dominant part. President Harding was the first of four successive Presidents to veto a bonus measure. After calling attention to the fact that the bill carried no means of paying for itself, he said:

It establishes the very dangerous precedent of creating a Treasury covenant to pay which puts a burden . . . upon the American people, not to discharge an obligation . . . but to bestow a bonus which the soldiers themselves, while serving in the World War, did not expect.

Two years later, the veterans succeeded in passing the bonus bill over the veto of Mr. Coolidge, who spoke in these terms:

We owe no bonus to able-bodied veterans of the World War. The first duty of every citizen is to the nation. The veterans of the World War performed this first duty. To confer upon them a cash consideration or its equivalent for performing their first duty is unjustified. . . . No way exists by which we can either equalize the burdens or give adequate financial reward to those who served the nation in time of war. . . . Patriotism can neither be bought nor sold.

The particulars of the bonus law passed in 1924 are too well known to demand elucidation. This much, however, should be said. The bonus certificates are in the nature of 20-year endowment insurance policies, to mature in 1945. The value stated on their face includes compound interest at 4 per cent from 1925 to 1945. Like other insurance policies, they had a stated and definite loan value, figured according to actuarial principles. After Mr. Hoover entered office, Congress passed a bill to increase the loan value of the policies to 50 per cent of their face value, far beyond the actuarial loan value. The general effect was to pay half of the bonus at that time. Mr. Hoover vetoed the bill (later repassed over his veto), saying:

The country should not be called upon, directly or indirectly, to support or make loans to those who can, by their own efforts, support themselves. . . . By far the largest part of the huge sum proposed in this bill is to be available to those who are not in distress.

Not content with passage of the 1924 law or with the 50 per cent loan law, the veterans went on to press for payment in full. Last year, Congress passed the Patman bill, providing for payment by the issuance of greenbacks, a dangerous inflationary measure. Mr. Roosevelt vetoed it, using these words: I do not need to be a prophet to assert that if these certificates, due in 1945, are paid in full today, every candidate for re-election to the Senate or to the House of Representatives will in the near future be called upon in the name of patriotism to support general pension legislation for all veterans, regardless of need or age.

That is the nub of the question. In any case, the bonus would have to be paid 10 years from now. It is true that immediate payment would require adding a billion dollars or more to the total bonus bill in the form of 10 years' unaccrued 4 per cent interest. It is also true that immediate payment will throw a monkey wrench into the already rickety budget machine. But even these baleful effects might be discounted if the bonus bill represented the end of the veterans' demands upon Congress. Instead, as the President pointed out, we may expect a drive in the near future for service pensions for every man who wore an American uniform in the World War. The cost of such pensions staggers the imagination, even in these days of astronomical figures.

It is highly significant that every President since the World War, regardless of party, has stood out against the bonus. Messrs. Harding, Coolidge, Hoover and Roosevelt made the case against it on behalf of the national welfare in powerfully-worded messages. But Congress, yielding to the threat of a well-organized minority, rolls over and plays dead. It is a disheartening and disturbing spectacle.

What's the latest quotation on Jackson day dinners?

## DR. WARBASE'S VISIT.

There is widespread interest at present in consumers' co-operatives as a method of solving the world's economic and social problems. Leader of this movement in the United States is Dr. J. P. Warbase of New York, and St. Louisans are fortunate in having an opportunity tomorrow to hear his exposition of the proposal. Dr. Warbase was a leading surgeon, an authoritative writer on medical and medico-social subjects, when, in 1919, he retired from practice in order to give his entire attention to co-operative organization. He organized the Co-operative League, of which he has been president since

its formation, and has studied and lectured on the idea in every state and 23 foreign countries. His book, "Co-operative Democracy," published in 1923, is the textbook of the movement.

The success and growth of co-operatives in Scandinavia, England and other countries, as well as in some parts of the United States, is a familiar story. Dr. Warbase, leading spokesman of the movement, deserves a serious hearing on his visit to St. Louis.

Arthur Brisbane wants the Government to pay the soldiers' bonus with printing-press money. An attractive scheme—on paper.

## MR. MORGAN AND THE WAR.

As a witness before the Senate Munitions Committee, J. Pierpont Morgan asked for and received permission to read a prepared statement. This was characterized by a member of the committee as "a stump speech." We are obliged to dissent from that judgment.

The Munitions Committee is trying to determine whether the international bankers, and particularly J. P. Morgan & Co., forced the United States into the World War. That charge is often made, and in many instances sincerely made, though it overlooks a great body of offensive, arrogant and murderous facts. Since the Munitions Committee, however, is seeking to prepare additional neutrality legislation, its inquiry is pertinent, and J. P. Morgan & Co., who acted first as purchasing agents for Great Britain and later for France, are a proper subject for interrogation.

Even so, the firm is surely entitled to the usual courtesies. It does not come into the committee's presence as a criminal. It has not been brought to Washington under an indictment. It is there to tell what it did as a financial organization before our entrance into the war. If it exerted any undue or secret influence on the Government, if it had anything coercive to do with Woodrow Wilson's war message to Congress, let us hope the fact will be exposed and the whole truth revealed. But suspicion is not fact and prejudice is not truth.

What the Morgan firm did, so far as the world knows, was wholly in its line of business. It profited handsomely, to be sure. So did many other banking houses and corporations. The profits flowed in an enormous stream down all the ways to farms and factories, shops and stores. If to be gainfully engaged in the slaughter of Europe was wrong, most of us were sinners.

The Post-Dispatch holds no brief for J. P. Morgan & Co., or the head of that house. But does any normal person imagine that Woodrow Wilson was moved to his terrible decision by the compulsion or cajolery of any money interest? Trade played a part in developing war sentiment in the United States, but to concentrate the blame on trade, or any other one factor, is falsely to simplify an enormously difficult question. A multiplicity of causes, the relative weight of which must remain a matter of opinion, got us into the war. To all who would try to understand the complex forces that worked upon American public opinion in the years 1914-17, we commend a reading of Walter Millis' remarkable book, "Road to War."

The AAA decision, you might say, has untied a good many of the farmers' knots.

## FACTS ABOUT THE TOWNSEND PLAN.

A public service of the finest type is performed by those who take steps to deflate such an illusory scheme as the Townsend plan with facts and figures. Rhetorical attacks only swell the devotion of the followers won by the plan's promoters; facts and figures are inescapable. The New Hampshire Foundation has such a service to its credit, in the report on the plan reprinted on this page yesterday.

Dr. Townsend's damaging admissions before the congressional committee were reported by the press at the time he made them. Apparently his disciples, firm in the faith that they will begin receiving \$200 checks each month in the near future, have never heard of the statements. Their pathetic faith is unjustified in the light of their messiah's own confession that it was "quite impossible" to begin pensioning all the aged immediately. Dr. Townsend's leadership stands as clearly discredited as the fantastic scheme whose feasibility he disavowed when a congressional witness, while continuing to paint his rosy picture in public addresses.

It is time the Townsend delusion was buried, so the people may address themselves to sane and practical methods of solving the problem of the dependent aged. Such a report as the New Hampshire Foundation has made will help bury it.

Add simile: As disinterested as a salesman after you've bought.

## THE FARMERS' VIEW OF AAA.

A good deal of the adverse comment on the Supreme Court's invalidation of the AAA has assumed that the farmers were unanimous, or nearly so, in its favor. We have no way of knowing what proportion of the farmers were for the AAA and what proportion were against it, but we have had reason to believe, from the published statements of farmers and from letters that have come to this office, that at least a very considerable minority disliked the scheme.

This despite the fact that great majorities voted for "the gentle rain of checks," as someone has called it, in various referendums on the crop-reduction plan. Those majorities were produced in part, no doubt, by sincere belief in the principles underlying the AAA, but other factors unquestionably were the desire for an immediate benefit—as was only natural—and the effective propaganda of AAA agents working for a large favorable vote.

Our opinion that many farmers, at heart, were against the AAA is confirmed by the published expressions of several farm leaders on the Supreme Court's decision. The head of the Nebraska Farmers' Union, for example, says the majority of farmers hoped they would be freed "from the whole thing" (the AAA), and the agricultural commissioner for Michigan expresses the belief that that State as a whole will be better off without the AAA, since Michigan "contributed \$250 for every dollar received in benefit payments."

The weight of farmers' opinion as to the desirability of the AAA may be on the other side, but statements like these make it clear that the favorable view was a very long way from being unanimous.

In the baseball books, Connie Mack must be rated the six best sellers.



INTO THE POLITICAL RING, HAT AND ALL.

## Senator Borah on the Supreme Court

Right of the judiciary to invalidate unconstitutional legislation is established in the Constitution and by prior practice, Idaho statesman points out; says there should be no fear of amending basic law, but wants changes made by the people, not by authorities in Washington; thinks the amending process is speedy enough.

From an Article by Senator William E. Borah of Idaho in the Redbook Magazine.  
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BY what authority does the Supreme Court exert the power to void an act of Congress on the ground that it is unconstitutional? The assertion is made that no such power was conferred upon the court in the beginning, and that it exerts it through usurpation. The question therefore really is: Are we living under a usurped judicial power?

My answer is No. We are not living under a usurped judicial power. The power of the court to void an act of Congress on the ground that it is unconstitutional is plainly and unmistakably conferred by the terms of the Constitution.

It is an indisputable historic fact that, at the time John Marshall wrote the opinion in Marbury vs. Madison, announcing the doctrine that a statute in conflict with the Constitution must be held void, this doctrine was well established, and had been for years, in our system of jurisprudence. Years before John Marshall was born, it was a settled doctrine in the Colonies that any legislative act of a Colonial Legislature must be held void if in conflict with the Charter or fundamental law of the Colony. It was a doctrine which grew up with our constitutional history. In the convention which framed the Constitution of the United States, it was repeatedly declared that the courts would be bound to hold a statute void when found to be in conflict with the Constitution.

The truth is that the only thing original, or new, in the opinion of Marbury vs. Madison, was the remorseless logic and consummate genius with which Marshall stated the doctrine. But the real point is not whether Marshall usurped this power; but did anyone usurp this power? Does the Constitution give power to the court to declare a law void when in contravention to the Constitution?

This does not seem to me to require any learned argument. The court cannot of its own initiative declare a law unconstitutional. The court is powerless to act until the citizen approaches it and says:

"By reason of certain laws passed by Congress, I have been injured, I have been imprisoned, I have had my property taken from me. I have been denied the right to assemble with my neighbors and discuss public questions. Laws passed by Congress deprive me of rights guaranteed to me by the Constitution. I ask the court to protect my rights under the Constitution."

Under the circumstances, what must the court do? If it refuses to act, it violates its supreme duty. If it does act, it has no choice but to uphold the law that is the supreme law. It may be well to remember that this denial of the power of the court to declare a statute unconstitutional was born of partisan politics. It has never been seriously urged except in heated party conflicts in which the court refused to bend its opinions to conform to partisan demands. Let us place this doctrine of impotency upon the part of the court where it belongs, and that is, with blind partisanship. When you destroy the court's power, you put down the pillars of the temple.

I do not mean to say the decisions of the court are above criticism or that the

people should not be entirely free to express their views touching the decisions of the court. But I do mean to say that without the power of the court to declare acts of Congress in contravention to the Constitution void, the Constitution as the supreme law of the land disappears, and we pass from a constitutional government to a parliamentary government or a dictatorial government, and every right, every privilege, every guarantee of personal liberty, which the people have written into the Constitution, becomes the plaything of politics, and the court the cowed slave of partisan dictation.

The Supreme Court is not a divine institution, and its members are not always wholly exempt from the influence of politics. But in my opinion, it is the most nearly perfect human institution yet devised by the wit of man for the dispensation of justice and for the preservation of liberty as defined by the people themselves in the charter under which they have declared their desire to live.

The court is in fact not blind to economic developments. But it is bound, in passing upon legal questions, by the terms of the Constitution. It would be an awful situation if this were not true.

I suspect if anyone would propose to create a Supreme Court giving nine men the power to render final decisions on economic problems, he would be regarded as more or less a lunatic. If there is found in the Constitution authority which justifies Congress in adopting the scheme, such as the National Recovery Act, the court upholds the act, however unwise it may be economically. On the other hand, if there is no authority for the enactment of such a law, the court rejects the law, however wise the proposition might be regarded economically.

If the power is wanting, in other words, and the people favor giving such power to Congress, the people may do so, but not the court. We amended the Constitution giving power to Congress to levy an income tax after the court had held that no such power had been granted. In this way the power is always retained by the people. And the court is bound by the decision of the people as embodied in the Constitution.

Let us never forget that those who talk about the Constitution being antiquated and out of date overlook the fact that the people, if they choose, may bring it down to date, and no one else may do so under our form of government. The contest is really over whether the people shall amend the Constitution or whether it shall be amended by the court or by the Congress. The fact is that those who complain that the court is blind to economic problems seem greatly to hesitate about taking their cause direct to those and those alone who may change the Constitution. They seem to prefer to amend the Constitution by strained and unnatural constructions.

It is true the decisions of the court have more than once been a blow to so-called centralized government. They have more than once protected state rights. But that is be-

## St. Louis' "Blighted Areas"

From the Kansas City Times.

AN exhaustive report has been submitted to the City Plan Commission of St. Louis, dealing with the progressive physical decay of that community. In particular, the report supplies statistical information concerning the shift of population from the city westward into St. Louis County, with the resultant creation of "blighted" areas, in which many buildings are unfit for habitation or business use, and there seems to be little or no incentive for their improvement.

Most American cities are familiar with this phenomenon. Its outward signs, indeed, are inescapable. But at least they present in having such detailed information assembled in convenient form, with specific proposals for solving the problem. (The report suggests the adoption of an urban land policy to halt the process of degeneration. It would include a revision of the zoning law, the removal of obsolete buildings, careful enforcement of sanitary and fire regulations and the promotion of repair operations.)

How far these particular proposals may be feasible and effective, of course, is a matter of opinion. But at least they present the need for co-ordinated action to combat a disease that individual property owners seem to be more or less helpless to control. Kansas City, which is confronted with a similar problem, has yet to tackle it on anything like such a scientific basis.

cause the Constitution does not provide for centralized government to the extent some desire, and because the Constitution provides for the protection of state rights. Here again, I say, if greater authority is desirable or necessary to the solution of modern economic problems, or if state rights are to be eliminated, ask the people for the power, not the courts. The Constitution should not be amended back home, and not in Washington. I feel we ought not to be afraid to consider amendments, but we ought to be exceedingly considerate and deliberate in adopting amendments. Changes may be necessary. The framers of the Constitution understood that perfectly. But to change the character of the charter of government is the most vital exertion of political power in which a people can engage, and that we ought never to overlook.

The amendment process is said to be a slow process. But in my judgment, it is a slow process. There can hardly be too much debate and deliberation and reflection on the matter of amendments to the Constitution.

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He found that in practically every instance, he could uncover selling costs and other pertinent business facts about the concerns which had claimed these were "firm secrets."

The commission did not stop there. It sent a letter to some of the complaining corporations asking them for secret data about their competitors. In every case, the answering company disclosed that it knew all about its competitor's affairs.

In other words, the "business secrets" were secrets only insofar as the public was concerned.

**Business Census.**

The nation-wide business census launched by the Commerce Department last week almost didn't get started.

A few days before the start, Secretary Dan Roper suddenly woke up to the fact that he didn't have enough canvassers.

With thousands clamoring for Government jobs and Uncle Dan only too eager to dish out patronage, such a situation would seem impossible. But the reason for it was a work-relief rule.

The census is being financed by Work-Relief funds. Such persons are required to employ 90 per cent of their workers from relief rolls.

In the larger cities there was no lack of persons on relief who came up to the specifications laid down for canvassers. But in the smaller communities there was a distinct shortage of white collar unemployed.

Fearful that the whole census might be discredited by undesirable personnel in a few sections, Roper made a personal plea to the President for an exemption from the 90 per cent rule. He laid great emphasis on the necessity of obtaining the "right type" of canvassers.

Lack of them, he argued, might antagonize business men and cause them to refuse to give information.

His plea went over with the President. Uncle Dan was given permission to go outside relief rolls for canvassers in those localities which suffered a dearth of white collar workers on the dole. It is a safe bet that Uncle Dan will find some good Democrats.

**Merry-Go-Round.**

When Electric Home and Farm Authority was looking for a slogan to boost sales of refrigerators, vacuum cleaners and curling irons, a TVA unit suggested this one: "Let Uncle Sam put a kink in your pocketbook."

A war veteran on relief is walking the streets of Washington wearing an expensive coat with charcoal skin lining. The coat once warmed the body of J. Edgar Hoover, who passed it on as a Christmas gift. . . . Department of Agriculture declares muskrats can be used to vary the family menu, but recommends calling them "marsh rabbits."

Keeping records for the Weather Bureau has its hazards. To determine what the water supplies will be, observers go sking through the high mountains of the West taking measurements of snow depth. . . . U. S. Bureau of Fisheries, co-operating with Peru and Bolivia, thinks it can populate Lake Titicaca, which is 12,500 feet in the high Andes, with sea-level trout and salmon. . . . First act of official record of the Senate when Congress convenes is to pay a courtesy call on the Vice-President, before they begin recording the debate.

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"ganging up" was itself a challenge to class passion. A great leader has elected to accept that challenge, to the joy of every advocate of class hatred here and in Russia.

It is true that these powerful reactionaries do not represent the views of our people, but neither does such a speech as this.

It may have seemed inevitable, but it does pose a leader of our whole people and makes him chief of the factions of discontent. Our best hope of getting out of our deep distress is by united action and not by division, hatred, and factional war.

The great mass of our people want no such thing. It was not "worthy of their generation" for the Tories to make such a challenge, and it was no more worthy in this fashion to accept it.

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**Frances Colby Rogers Gets Divorce.**

By the Associated Press.

RENO, Nev., Jan. 8.—Mrs. Frances Colby Rogers, daughter of Bainbridge Colby, was granted a divorce here yesterday from Robert Cameron Rogers of New York, publisher of a steamship line. The decree was granted on ground of separation for more than five years. They were married June 16, 1925.

## Marshal Foch's Grandson Weds



JEAN BECOURT FOCH, descendant of late commander of the allied armies leaving Saint Francois-Xavier Church at Paris with his bride, the former Colette Houdeon, daughter of Gen. Houdeon. Young Foch is a cavalry lieutenant.

## 'FAUST' PRESENTED BY SAN CARLO CO.

Mary McCormic as Guest Artist With Harold Kravitt Carrying Most of Burden.

THE San Carlo Opera Company presented Gounod's tragic opera "Faust" at the Municipal Auditorium last night before a larger audience than had attended the first two presentations of the five scheduled. Mary McCormic of the Chicago Civic Opera, was the guest artist in the role of Marguerite, but Harold Kravitt, as Mephistopheles, bore most of the burden behind the footlights, both histrionically and musically.

Miss McCormic, who appeared here last in a recital several years ago, was making her operatic debut in St. Louis. She made the best of her obviously limited talents, but her acting of the role of the innocent village maiden was more convincing than her vocalization of it. The quality of her tones lacked uniformity, and any attempt to attain depth and resonance was apparently sacrificed in an effort to obtain a brilliance of tone with the usual result. Occasional difficulty in maintaining the pitch also was noticeable, but Miss McCormic is still young, and probably in time will be able to eliminate many of the faults so obvious last night.

Kravitt's splendid voice and excellent acting carried the piece to a successful climax, despite the fact that he had sung the role of King Henry in "Lohengrin" the night before.

Rolf Gerard, as Faust, was seriously handicapped throughout because of his inability to make himself heard above the orchestra in forte solo parts, and above Kravitt and Miss McCormic in others. But like the others, he did the best he could with what he had, and tried honestly and earnestly to give an adequate performance. He alighted himself in the "Salut" duet, and in the "aria, of which the dolce and adagio passages are particularly fitted to Mr. Gerard's type of voice.

Stefan Kosakovich, that talented young baritone, gave an excellent account of himself in the role of Valentine. The role of Siebel was sung by Charlotte Bruno, Wagner by Fausto Bozza, and Martha by Philine Falco. The opera was ably conducted, as usual, by Carlo Peroni.

The San Carlo company will conclude its stay in St. Louis today; with the presentation of Puccini's "Madame Butterfly" this afternoon, with the Japanese soprano, Hizi Koyke, in the title role, and of Bizet's "Carmen" tonight, with Louise Cassellotti singing the principal part.—R. L. C.

## THE REV. J. H. HORTON DIES

Pastor of Church of Christ Was 67; Funeral Tonight.

Funeral services for the Rev. John H. Horton, pastor of the Church of Christ, Spring and Blaine avenues, who died yesterday at his home, 6428 Virginia avenue, after a paralytic stroke, will be held tonight at 8 o'clock at the church. Other services and burial will be Saturday at Hanceville, Ala.

The Rev. Mr. Horton, 67 years old, was a member of the ministry for 35 years, and served at churches in Alabama and Tennessee before coming to St. Louis seven years ago. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Myrie V. Horton, and three sons, Norman H. and David C. Horton of St. Louis, and John W. Horton of Birmingham, Ala.

## DIES FOLLOWING HIP FRACTURE

Francis A. Hunt, 82, Succumbs to Complications.

Francis A. Hunt, 82 years old died at City Hospital yesterday of complications resulting from a fractured hip suffered Jan. 1 when he slipped and fell in the kitchen of his home, 1220 Park avenue.

## APPOINTED TO PASTORATE OF LATE FATHER O'Rourke

The Rev. John T. Sesson Named to St. Mark's Church, Page and Academy Avenues.

The Rev. John T. Sesson, pastor of St. John's Catholic Church, Sixteenth and Chestnut streets, has been appointed pastor of St. Mark's Church, Page and Academy avenues, it was announced today. He will fill the vacancy caused by the death of the Rev. Peter J. O'Rourke.

For 12 years after his ordination at Kenrick Seminary in 1905, Father Sesson was assistant pastor of St. Mark's. He served for several years as pastor of St. Patrick's Church at Wentzville, and became pastor of St. John's 17 years ago. His successor there has not been chosen.

## DR. SYLVAN H. RHODES DIES

Funeral Friday Morning, With Burial at Chester, Ill.

Funeral services for Dr. Sylvan H. Rhodes, a practicing physician in St. Louis for 15 years, who died yesterday of pneumonia at Deaconess Hospital, will be held Friday at 10:30 a. m., at Giddings Presbyterian Church, 4100 Washington boulevard, with burial at Chester, Illinois.

Dr. Rhodes, 37 years old, took his pre-medical work at St. Louis University and was graduated from the St. Louis College of Physicians and Surgeons in 1920. He was a son of the late Dr. Thomas E. Rhodes. He resided at 431 Washington boulevard, and had offices in the Missouri National Bank Building. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Ida C. Rhodes, and his mother, Mrs. Alice Rhodes.

## FUNERAL OF MAX SCHOLER

Manufacturer of Leather Was Resident Here 25 Years.

Funeral services for Max Scholer, 56 years old, a manufacturer of leather goods in St. Louis for 20 years, who died Monday of a heart attack at his home, 7099 Cornell avenue, University City, were held today at the Rindskopf funeral parlors, 5212 Delmar boulevard, with burial in Mount Olive Cemetery.

Mr. Scholer, a native of New York, had been a resident in the city for 25 years. He was a manufacturer of leather belts and novelties and had offices at 615 North Ninth street. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Matilda L. Scholer, and a daughter, Miss Anita Scholer.

## MAN WHO FOUND GREELY DIES

Capt. John C. Colwell Succumbs at 79; Headed Relief Party.

MORRISTOWN, N. J., Jan. 8.—Capt. John Charles Colwell, 79 years old, United States Navy, retired, who sailed on the third Greely Relief Expedition in 1881 died here yesterday.

Capt. Colwell was born in Carlisle, Pa. and was graduated from the Naval Academy at Annapolis in 1874. On the relief expedition to hunt for Augustus W. Greely, explorer, and his party after two previous rescue expeditions failed, Colwell found the explorer and seven survivors. The funeral will be held Thursday in Arlington National Cemetery.

## Steamship Movements.

By the Associated Press.

Arrived:  
New York, Jan. 7, Antonia from Liverpool.  
New York, Jan. 7, Aquitania from Southampton.  
London, Jan. 7, Ausonia from New York.

Sailed:  
New York, Jan. 7, American Traveler from Hamburg.  
New York, Jan. 7, Empress of Britain for Madeira (world cruise).  
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New York, Jan. 7, Franconia for Rio de Janeiro (world cruise).  
Hongkong, Jan. 4, President Grant for Seattle.

Yokohama, Jan. 3, President Hoover for San Francisco.  
Havana, Jan. 7, Statendam for New York.

# SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

**MRS. HENRY GOUVERNEUR KEELER**, 625 South Skinker road, her debutante daughter, Miss Lucile Keeler, and Miss Marie Taylor Spink, debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Taylor Spink, 631 East Polo drive, will leave a week from Sunday for Los Angeles. After a week's visit there they will cruise to South America and back through the Panama Canal and up to New York. They will spend a week in New York, returning home between Feb. 15 and Feb. 20.

Mrs. Keeler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Murphy of New Orleans, who have been in St. Louis since before Christmas, will sail from San Francisco Jan. 31 for a six weeks' visit in Honolulu. Another daughter, Mrs. L. Marquard Forster, 1108 Center drive, and Miss Martha Nicolaus, daughter of Louis J. Nicolaus, 4499 Lindell boulevard, will accompany them to Honolulu. In Honolulu Miss Nicolaus and Mrs. Forster will join Miss Nicolaus' grandmother, Mrs. William P. Biddle of Los Angeles, who will sail for there Jan. 15.

Mrs. Oliver J. Keller of Pittsburgh, Pa., will arrive the week-end of Jan. 18, to spend a few days with her aunt, Mrs. George S. McPham, 4497 Westminister place. Mrs. Keller will then go to Tucson, Ariz., to visit her young son, Daniel, who is attending a private school at Circle AA Ranch. Mrs. McPham's nephew, Edmond G. Thomas, has resumed his studies at Yale University after a holiday visit with his aunt and his sister, Mrs. Archie Lee of Fordyce lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fletcher Sparks, 6320 Wydown boulevard, will leave the latter part of January or early in February for their winter home in Palm Beach, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wiggins, 17 Portland place, will leave Sunday for Pasadena, Cal., to spend the winter with their son-in-law and daughter, Capt. and Mrs. Clarence L. Arnold. Mr. and Mrs. Wiggins spend every winter with them.

Mrs. Francis C. Case, 4904 Pershing avenue, who went to Bronxville, N. Y., to spend the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Audenried Whittemore and her family, will return to St. Louis next week.

Mrs. Harold Gerry Fitzgerald of Los Angeles, Cal., will leave for her home tomorrow after a holiday visit with her mother, Mrs. John M. Wulfinck, 3448 Longfellow boulevard. Mrs. Fitzgerald was formerly Miss Lucy Wulfinck of St. Louis. She has been entertained informally during her visit here.

The marriage of Miss Lorraine Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Harley Miller, 1338 Midland drive, and Robert McDonnell Holt of Columbia, Mo., will be Jan. 11, at 4:30 o'clock, in the Memorial Presbyterian Church. The ceremony will be conducted by Rev. Russell Paynter, after which a dinner will be served to the families at the Miller home.

Mrs. W. C. Guse of Alton, Ill., sister of the bride, will serve as matron of honor, and Miss Edith Steideman will be bridesmaid. Dr. D. W. Miller, brother of the bride, will be best man and Paul Jones, groomsmen. The ushers will be John Schneeberger and Erwin Schulz.

The bride attended Missouri University and is a graduate of Washington University.

The couple will reside in Columbia, Mo.

**THE** Claytons Coaching Club, which has heretofore confined its activities to holiday calls aboard a tallyho, will give its first ball at Deer Creek Club Saturday evening, Feb. 1. It will be a subscription affair, with invitations limited to 150 guests of various ages. Dancing will begin after 10:30 o'clock and supper will be served late in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Danforth, 17 Kingsbury place, have gone South for a holiday of two or three weeks. They planned to stop first at Berea, Ky., and then go on to St. Petersburg, Fla.

Among the other St. Louisans who will soon join the mid-winter colony at the Florida resort are Mr. and Mrs. William N. Claggett, 5115 Lindell boulevard, who plan to leave the end of the month, and Mr. and Mrs. Warren F. McElroy, 23 Portland place, who have set their departure for next Wednesday.

Embarking on a world cruise during which they will visit 31 ports of call, several St. Louisans sailed Monday night from New York on the Franconia, to return to Los Angeles May 29, and to New York by way of the Panama Canal some time later. Mrs. Marion Clifford Blossom, 4528 West Pine boulevard, and her two sons, Howard and Bradford, were among the St. Louis passengers, which also included Mr. and Mrs. David E. Woods, 12 Carrswold; Miss Isabel Moberly, daughter of Victor T. Moberly, and her aunt, Mrs. Arturas Barker.

Mrs. D. B. Hussey of the Park Plaza will leave early next week for New York, where she will be at the Savoy-Plaza Hotel, until she sails on a South American cruise Feb. 11. After the Columbus, she will visit Havana, Nassau, Panama, and South American ports, returning late in the spring.

Mrs. Orville Kiplinger of Cleveland, who has been visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth L. Kiplinger, 6043 Clemens avenue, will leave for her home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kiplinger have recently moved to the Clemens avenue address from 5706 Cabanne avenue.

Mrs. James L. Westlake, 4331 Lindell boulevard, will depart Friday for Florida to join Mr. Westlake who preceded her south by a few days. They will spend the season on board their yacht, the Nellie Bell, which will drop anchor at Miami Beach when not cruising. They will return in the spring.

Mrs. Irwin Dubinsky, who attended the sister as matron of honor, was in flesh-colored crepe, with which she carried pink roses. Pale blue crepe fashioned the costume of the maid of honor, Miss Alice Zuker, who came from the University of Chicago to serve as maid of honor. She also carried an armful of pink roses.

Herbert Greenstone of Detroit attended his cousin as best man and Irwin Dubinsky served as groomsmen.

A dinner for about 60 members of the two families was served after the ceremony.

On their return from a honeymoon at the Miami Biltmore Hotel in Miami, Fla., Mr. Ollan and his bride will be at home in the President Apartments.

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**"RED SALUTE"**  
 Barbara Stanwyck Robert Young  
**LAST DAY**  
**HERE COMES THE BAND**

**SHUBERT** 25c TILL 2  
**35c TILL 7:30**  
**Last Times Thursday**  
**Claudette Colbert**  
**Fred MacMurray**  
**"The Bride Comes Home"**  
**With Robert Young**  
**ORPHEUM** 25c TILL 2  
**35c TILL 7:30**  
**Starts Tomorrow**  
**HEPBURN**  
**in RKO-Radio's**  
**"Sylvia Scarlett"**  
**With**  
**Brian Aherne Cary Grant**  
**"The Murder of Dr. Harriett"**

**LOEWS** 25c TILL 2  
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**Now! Doors Open 9:30 A. M.**  
**Chas. Dickens**  
**"TALE OF TWO CITIES"**  
**With**  
**Ronald Colman Elizabeth Allan**  
**AND HUGE CAST OF 6000**  
**"AUDIOSCOPIKS"**  
**DOORS OPEN**  
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**WILL ROGERS**  
**"IN OLD KENTUCKY"**  
**PLUS 2ND HIT**  
**"MUSIC IS MAGIC"**  
**"BARBARY COAST"**  
**LAST DAY**  
**"THIS IS THE LIFE"**

**Movie Time Table**  
**AMBASSADOR**—Jan. Withers in "Paddy O'Day," at 10:40, 1:10, 3:40, 5:40 and 10:10; Henry Armetta on the stage, 12:05, 2:35, 6:35 and 9:05.  
**FOX**—Irene Dunne and Robert Taylor in "Magnificent Obsession," at 1:55, 4:20, 6:50 and 9:20.  
**LOEWS**—"A Tale of Two Cities," with Ronald Colman and Elizabeth Allan, at 9:40, 12:06, 2:32, 4:58, 7:24 and 9:50; "Audioscopiks," at 11:52, 2:18, 4:44, 7:10 and 9:36.  
**ORPHEUM**—Katharine Hepburn and Brian Aherne in "Sylvia Scarlett," at 12:27, 3:30, 6:33 and 9:36; "The Murder of Dr. Harriett," at 11:18, 2:21, 5:24 and 8:27.  
**SHUBERT**—Claudette Colbert and Fred MacMurray in "The Bride Comes Home," at 1:21, 3:29, 5:37, 7:45 and 9:53.

**What of The Coming Year?**  
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## LOST MITTEN CAUSES ARREST OF SUSPECT IN 3 DEATHS

Piece of Apparel Traced by Police After Bodies Are Found in New Brunswick.

By the Associated Press.  
 MONCTON, N. B., Jan. 8.—Arthur William Bannister, 21 years old, was held by police last night in connection with the deaths of Phillip Lake, 30, and his wife and 20-month-old child at Pacific Junction.  
 The three bodies were found Monday. That of Mrs. Lake and her son, Jackie, were found frozen in snow near the ruins of the fire-swept Lake home. Lake's body, burned almost beyond recognition, was in the cellar. A second child, a six-month-old girl, was missing. Bannister's arrest followed discovery of a man's mitten along a trail leading from the bodies of the woman and child. Police said Daniel Bannister identified it as one he had lent his brother, Arthur, on Sunday, before Arthur left for the Lake home.  
 Police think the home caught

## COERCION IN DIVORCE CHARGED

F. Brandon Smith Jr. Testifies Against Former Father-in-Law.

By the Associated Press.  
 CHARLOTTE, N. C., Jan. 8.—F. Brandon Smith Jr., seeking \$250,000 damages, charged from the witness stand yesterday that his wife was coerced into a divorce through her father's determination to retain custody of her baby daughter, helpless to a part of the estate of her first husband, Smith Reynolds. Smith is suing his former father-in-law, Joseph F. Cannon, millionaire Concord business man, for alienation of affections. A verdict of \$125,000 damages in a previous trial was set aside by Superior Court Judge W. F. Harding as excessive.

## PROPOSES DISCOUNT BANK FOR REALTY

Head of National Board Speaks at Meeting of St. Louis Dealers.

Creation of a Federal bank to discount real estate mortgages was urged by Walter S. Schmidt of Cincinnati, president of the National Association of Real Estate Boards, at the sixteenth annual meeting of the St. Louis Real Estate Exchange, at Hotel Statler last night.  
 The dinner was in honor of Cyrus Crane Willmore, recently elected president of the exchange.  
 Schmidt said there were now 16 Federal agencies dealing with mortgages, some of them making direct loans to property owners. Real estate men, he said, opposed this Federal activity, and believed that it could be eliminated if the Government were to establish a bank of discount for mortgages, a task which, he said, was beyond the capacity of private capital.  
 "A Federal mortgage bank which could buy sound mortgages and lend on them is a solution of the problem," he said. "Mortgages must be marketable if owners and institutions with funds for such investments are to be protected in the future."  
 "Senator Fletcher has presented a bill providing for a Federal corporation which will buy or lend on sound mortgages on any class of property. Because it would be a major corporation, it could sell its bonds on a low interest basis. Experience in other countries shows that these bonds sell on a better basis than government bonds."  
 In the last four years, Schmidt said, 300,000 fewer home units have been constructed than have been destroyed by fire or wrecking. This, with the normal increase in population, he said, had created a situation which called for construction of at least 450,000 home units annually. A housing shortage was imminent, he said, and will bring with it an increase in rentals.  
 Willmore, in his address, suggested that St. Louis should hold a world's fair on the river front when the Jefferson Memorial is completed. Such an event, he said, could be made the greatest civic enterprise in the lifetime of members of the exchange.  
 Isaac A. Hedges was toastmaster. Past presidents of the exchange occupied places of honor at a special table. Mayor Diskman spoke briefly.

## RICHBERG AGAINST LOWER COURTS PASSING ON LAWS

Tells New York Bar Congress Has Authority to Deny Power in Lower Tribunals.

By the Associated Press.  
 NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Assailing the "assertion of supreme authority" by the judiciary, Donald R. Richberg last night called on lawyers to urge the Congress present lower Federal courts from passing on the constitutionality of laws.  
 Making his first public address since retiring as NRA Administrator, Richberg told the Bar Association of New York:  
 "Regardless of the conceded character and ability of the judges, it is, to put it bluntly, a travesty upon representative, popular government to empower one man, serving as the judge of an inferior court, to annul, even temporarily, a law which has been enacted by a body of 531 men, constituting the supreme legislative assembly of the nation, and approved by the chief executive who is elected by all the people."  
 Asking the "more conservative members of the bar to recognize that there is 'something seriously wrong with the present procedure,'" Richberg said:  
 "Unless they advance a reasonable program to meet a reasonable and growing complaint, what forces can be expected to check an inevitable demand for sweeping amendments that will either expand unwisely the powers of the Federal Legislature or contract unwisely the powers of the Supreme Court itself."  
 Saying Congress had authority to deny lower courts power to pass on Federal laws, Richberg suggested it might change the procedure so that those courts would merely take evidence and then certify the cases directly to the Supreme Court for a quick final ruling.

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Employer Held in Death of Farmhand, Wounded at New Year's Party.

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KEENE, N. H., Jan. 8.—Dr. Ralph Knight, retired dentist of Walpole, is held on a manslaughter charge after the death last night of his farmhand, James Mason, Sheriff Frank J. Bennett said he was informed Mason was bayoneted when he sought to protect Mr. Knight.

County Solicitor Arthur Olson said a quarrel followed what he described as a New Year's party in Knight's kitchen. Mason and Knight had been drinking, Olson said, and a general dispute ensued. Knight, on the other hand, told that the dispute was about the bayoneted Mason, who had been killed by Knight's son.

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# AGENCY IS KEY TO STOCK MARKET

## INDEX AVERAGES

### Other statistical data showing economical trend.

Ticker Falls Five Minutes Behind in a Churning Movement at One Period—Oils and Specialties Lead Upward Trend.

TOTAL SHARES SOLD, 3,536,000

Market Is Broad, 967 Issues Figuring in Transactions New 1935-36 High Made by 171 Stocks.

By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—A few groups stood out today with special strength in a generally improved stock market.

Oils and industrial specialties were strong. Rails and utilities failed to hang on to all their early gains. General lifts ranged from fractions to 2 points or more, with a number of new highs for several years registered.

The close was firm. Transfers approximated 3,536,000 shares. Volume was extremely heavy at times, especially in early trading when transactions on several occasions left the tape in arrears, but toward the finish the pace was more sedate.

Cotton generally ruled firmer after Tuesday's sharp break, but grains were reactionary. Bonds were higher with the exception of U. S. Government bonds, which were a little ground. Gold currencies moved a bit higher in a quiet foreign exchange market.

Gains of 4 to 7 points appeared in a few issues, such as Allied Chemical, Owens-Illinois Glass and Greyhound. Improvements of major fractions to a point was recorded for Sun Oil, Loew's, Pullman, Case, Standard Oil of Indiana, Plymouth, U. S. Smelting, U. S. Steel preferred, Oliver Farm, Santa Fe, Union Pacific, International Nickel, and Great Northern preferred.

Grains closed lower, with wheat 1/4 to 1/2 cents down at Chicago and corn 1/4 to 1/2 of a cent off. At Winnipeg wheat dipped 1/4 of a cent. Cotton advanced 60 to 65 cents a bale higher to 25 cents behind. Principal foreign currencies were steady to higher against the dollar in a quiet exchange market. The pound sterling rose 1/4 cent to 48.25. The French franc was unchanged in mid-afternoon at 6.59, cents, after having been firm for a time. Guilders rose .03 of a cent to 67.88 cents.

News of the Day. Brokers having written to all parts of the country said a feature of the current market was the sizeable amount of buying originating outside the Wall Street professional group. They estimated that at least half of this business was for cash, and was in odd lots.

Utilities continued to attract interest in anticipation of the forthcoming decision of the Supreme Court on the constitutionality of the TVA in the Alabama power case.

Some quarters felt that the court might effectively block Government competitor with private power companies. Others, after consulting with their legal advisers, were inclined to believe that the decision might contain at least partial support for the Government's position. With the question of rural purchasing power much to the fore in view of the AAA court ruling, Wall Street observers took particular note of the sales record set by Montgomery Ward. The company reported the best dollar volume in its history for the month and 11 months to Dec. 31.

For the same reason, and because of the key position of the motor industry in the recovery movement, considerable encouragement was derived from General Motors' report of sales to consumers for 1935, which were some 300,000 cars better than last year.

Overnight Developments. Comment was heard on the report that James M. Landis, head of the SEC, had warned a congressional committee that many financial observers appeared fearful of a runaway market this year, and adding his own conviction that trading volume was likely to be largely increased.

Some financial quarters which have been particularly interested recently in the packing stocks following the passing of the processing taxes took special note of the moderate decline in net income of Armour J. Co. for its fiscal year, while dollar volume of sales increased 21 per cent.

Sales of Most Active Stocks. Day's closing price and net change of the day's top 100 stocks: U. S. Steel 37.00, up 1/4; St. Paul 29.00, up 1/4; Packard 29.00, up 1/4; Columbia G. & E. 32.00, up 1/4; United Fruit 31.00, down 1/4; Walworth 31.00, down 1/4; Consol Oil 31.00, down 1/4; U. S. Steel 37.00, up 1/4; St. Paul 29.00, up 1/4; Packard 29.00, up 1/4; Columbia G. & E. 32.00, up 1/4; United Fruit 31.00, down 1/4; Walworth 31.00, down 1/4; Consol Oil 31.00, down 1/4.

## STOCK MARKET

(COMPLETE)

SPECIAL ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.

## STOCKS AND SALES

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Total stock sales today on the New York Stock Exchange amounted to 3,536,000 shares, compared with 3,097,510 yesterday; holiday a week ago and 896,470 a year ago. Total sales from Jan. 1 to date were 17,056,050 shares, compared with 6,789,036 a year ago and 5,465,622 two years ago.

Following is a complete list of transactions giving sales, high, low, closing prices and net changes:

## TREND OF STOCK PRICES

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—The Associated Press statistical office today issued the following trend of stock prices:

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## STOCKS AND SALES

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Total stock sales today on the New York Stock Exchange amounted to 3,536,000 shares, compared with 3,097,510 yesterday; holiday a week ago and 896,470 a year ago. Total sales from Jan. 1 to date were 17,056,050 shares, compared with 6,789,036 a year ago and 5,465,622 two years ago.

Following is a complete list of transactions giving sales, high, low, closing prices and net changes:

## TREND OF STOCK PRICES

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—The Associated Press statistical office today issued the following trend of stock prices:

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\$21,000,000 BOND  
TRADE ON UPTURN

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—With prices pointing upward the bond market today recorded the largest trading volume since last March at approximately \$21,000,000.

The strongest closings included Allegheny Corp., \$8.1930, 56½; Gould Coupler Corp., \$5.72, up 2¼; Gould Corporation, \$10.75, up 1½; International Telephone phone 4½, 77½; up 1; B. F. Keith & Co., \$10.75, up 1½; American Electric 86½; up 2½; Prisco \$5.187½, up ¾; Utilities Power & Light \$5.62, up ¼; Waltham Co. \$5.75, up 4½.

## STEEL GAINS REPORTED

By the Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—The nation's production of open hearth and Bessemer steel ingots for 1935 was the best since 1930, and fourth quarter production was last year's record, according to the U. S. Steel Institute yesterday.

The 1935 total was 33,425,574 gross tons, which exceeded 1934 production by more than 30 per cent.

Open hearth steel averaged 45.58 per cent of capacity, compared with 37.58 per cent for Bessemer steel, and 41.58 per cent of capacity.

The fourth quarter production last year was 3,981,590 gross tons, which compared

## COMMERCIAL GRAIN STOCKS

BY CHICAGO (U.S.A.) — The Bureau of Agricultural Economics estimated that commercial stocks of wheat decreased 1,752,000 bushels for the week to a total of 25,692,000 bushels compared with 27,551,000 bushels a year ago. Stocks of corn dropped 1,700,000 bushels to 7,782,000 bushels, compared with 42,198,000 bushels last year. The decrease in area was computed at 642,000 bushels, making the total acreage 10,000 bushels, against 23,102,000 last year.

**BOND SALES—CONTINUED**

**\*SECURITY. Sales, High, Low, Close.**

**FOREIGN BONDS.**

Copenhagen 5 52	54	54	54
do 4 1/2	23	90	94
Cord C 7 57 1/2	1	52 1/2	52 1/2
do 4 1/2	23	90	94
Cordoba 7 42	4	75	75
Costa Ric 7 51	3	24	24
do 4 1/2	23	90	94
Cuba 5 1/2 45	3	38	38
Cundinam 6 1/2 56	2	11 1/2	11
do 4 1/2	23	90	94
Denmark 6 42	2	106 1/2	106 1/2

do 5 1/2 55 ...	7	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
do 4 1/2 62 ...	48	95 1/2	95 1/2	95 1/2
Dom Ref 5 1/2 42	1	67	87	87
Dom1st 5 1/2 26-40	1	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2
do 2d 5 1/2 40	2	64	64	64

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France 6½ 50.	1	26½	46½	26½
France 7½ 41.	1	117½	173½	173½
France 7½ 41.	5	417½	177	177
Ger C A6 Bk 50.	1	26½	46½	26½
Ger CAL 6 60 Oct	8	33½	33	33
Ger CAL 6½ 58	16	44½	44½	44½
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GI CEP J 4 4½.	1	95½	95	95
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Go 6½ 50.	1	23½	23½	23½
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Japan 6¼ 54.	10	100	100	100
Lombard El 7a52	2	46	46	46
Medel Mu ¼ 54	6	8½	8½	8½

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do 6½ 59	2 15%	15½	15½
N So Wales 5 57	1 103	103	103
do 5 58	3 102½	102½	102½
Nord Ry 6½ 50	3 155	154½	155
Nor Ger LI 6 47	5 88½	88½	88½
Norway 6 44	8 106½	106½	106½
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Pan 5s63 A st and	10	62	61½	62
Par-Or RR 5½ s68	2	147½	147½	147½
Pernambuco 7s 47	20	13½	13	13
Peru 7 59 ....	4	17	16½	17

do 1st 6 80...	53	133%	13%	133%
do 2d 6 1961...	15	134%	13%	134%
Poland 6 50...	17	95%	95%	95%
Porto Alegre 6 81...	3	16%	16%	16%
do 7th 66...	2	15%	15%	15%
Prussia 6 52...	6	28%	28%	28%
Rhine West 6 53...	5	32%	32%	32%
Rio de Jan 8 46...	2	17%	17%	17%
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do 6 68...	9	15%	14%	15%
Rome 6 1/2 52...	42	55%	54%	55%

Sao Pau City 6 1/2 57	9	15 1/4	15	15 1/4
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do 6 68.....	10	15 1/4	14 7/8	14 7/8
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Sax Pub Wk 7 45	1	32 3/4	32 3/4	32 3/4

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Tokyo C 5 1/2 61	5	81 1/4	81	81 1/4
Tokyo El L6s 53	3	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2
Tyr HIEP 7 1/2 55	2	85	84 1/2	85
Ujigawa ElP7s 45	2	95 1/2	95 1/2	95 1/2
Uruguay 6s 60	28	39 3/4	38 3/4	39 3/4
Uruguay 6s 64	58	39 1/4	38 3/4	39 1/4


Warsaw C 7s	58	4	71½	70½	71½
West UnEIP6s	53	2	32½	32½	32½
Yokohama 6s	61	13	87	86½	86½

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# ACCUSED OF FORGING CHECK ON MISSOURI RELIEF FUNDS

Former Chief Clerk Named in Warrant Alleging Defalcation of \$113.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 8.—A warrant charging William M. O'Dell of Sedalia, a former employee of the Missouri Relief Commission here, with forging an indorsement and possessing and uttering a forged check for \$113, which had been issued against relief funds, was issued here today by Justice of the Peace John Leslie. The warrant was issued on a complaint signed by Elmore G. Crowe, attorney for the Relief Commission.

Relief Commission officials said the alleged defalcation was discovered a few days ago, following the resignation of O'Dell last Dec. 22, as chief clerk of the auditing department of the Relief Commission, to take an auditing position in the Federal Treasury accounts office at the Capitol.

An audit is being made, Relief Commission officials said, to determine if other checks had been irregularly issued and cashed. Prior to Carter, Deputy Relief Administrator, said he did not think the alleged defalcation would total much more than the \$113 involved in the charge filed today. The check on which the warrant was based was issued last Sept. 30.

# \$750,000 Rembrandt Lent by Louvre to Chicago Museum



"SUPPER AT EMMAUS" being inspected by officials of the Chicago Art Institute. From left: THE REV. JOHN THOMPSON, WALTER SHERWOOD and WILLIAM J. FORD. The painting arrived in a steel case and will be guarded night and day during the time it is in the gallery.

# DRESS AFIRE; CHILD BURNED

Ignites Clothing When Playing Around Stove With Match.

Goldie Jean, 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Potter, 3028 North Twenty-first street, suffered burns of the face shoulders and arms this morning when her clothing caught fire from a match she was playing with in the kitchen of her home.

The child apparently touched the match to the side of the hot stove. Mrs. Potter tore the burning clothes from the baby and took her to City Hospital. The mother was not burned.

# 30 LOST IN SOVIET SHIPWRECK

Two Bodies and Debris Washed Ashore on Finnish Coast.

By the Associated Press.

LENINGRAD, Jan. 8.—Fears were expressed today that the entire crew of 30 of the Soviet freighter Donetz, wrecked in the Gulf of Finland, had perished.

The Donetz, a steamer of 2650 tons, sailed from Leningrad Nov. 29 for Hamburg and Rotterdam. It was unreported until Sunday, when debris and two bodies were washed ashore near Viipuri, on the Finnish coast.

# MOVE FOR CONSERVING WILD LIFE RESOURCES

Organization to Petition for Non-Partisan Commission of Four in Missouri.

Petitions are being prepared by the Restoration and Conservation Federation of Missouri for a constitutional amendment to be voted on next November, placing the State's wild life resources under control of a non-partisan and non-salaried commission of four men.

Plans for the initiative petition were completed last night at a meeting at the Racquet Club of the conservation organization, which was formed last September.

Edward K. Love, who presided, announced contributions of \$1000 each for expenses of the organization had been made by Louis H. Egan, president of the Union Electric Light and Power Co.; Louis E. Denny, former packer; Horton Watkins, vice-president of the International Shoe Co.; and himself.

The fund, Love said, which will be used in support of the conservation commission measure, is expected to reach \$20,000.

# 4000 Active Workers.

It is necessary to get signatures of 5 per cent of the voters in two-thirds of the State's congressional districts to place the proposed amendment on the November ballot. The organization has 4000 active workers with chairmen in 38 counties, Love said.

E. Sydney Stephens of Columbia, president of the conservation federation, outlined the amendment measure at the meeting, attended by 150 sportsmen. The four commissioners would serve for six years, he said, except the first members, whose terms would rotate. Four departments, propagation, research, law enforcement and education, would be set up under the control of a salaried director, to be appointed by the commission.

Speaking in behalf of the proposed conservation commission, Stephens pointed out that the wild life resources of the State were rapidly disappearing, although the natural conditions in the north part of the State, as well as the Ozarks, were as suitable to the propagation of game and fish as in any other State.

Statistics of Other States.

He cited statistics from other States, where wild life control was under a non-partisan commission, showing the amount of game and fish taken last year, as follows: New York, 215,000 pheasants, 8095 deer, 11,140 fox, 2,413,000 fish; Minnesota, 331,326 pheasants, 14,700 grouse, 7304 prairie chickens; Wisconsin, 38,000 deer, 3,634,000 fish; Oregon, 102,300 pheasants, 11,400 deer, and 3,260,000 fish.

The Federal Government, Stephens said, had shown a willingness to extend financial aid, dollar for dollar, in States with conservation departments divorced from politics.

Land in Missouri, he said, could be acquired more readily for propagation of game and sanctuaries with the aid of the Federal Government under a non-partisan commission.

Coal Fall Kills Centralia Miner.

CENTRALIA, Ill., Jan. 7.—Linsy Laughunn, 47 years old, a coal miner, was fatally injured Tuesday, when crushed by a fall of top coal at No. 5 mine of the Bell & Zoller Coal Co. here.

# LONDON TRYING TO GET RID OF DUPLICATE STREET NAMES

Confusion So Great Firemen Sometimes Can't Find Fires; 74 Thoroughfares Named Victoria.

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Jan. 8.—Charging of street names here to end the great confusion resulting from duplications is meeting with strenuous objections from citizens who object to having streets lose names carried for generations.

Of London's 19,000 streets, more than 3000 have names which are duplicated. There are 74 Victoria streets and 61 named Queen or Queen's. Union street occurs 40 times, and there are 131 arteries bearing the appendix Great or Little.

The confusion is so great that firemen sometimes cannot find fires, and postmen have great difficulty, although the city is divided into postal zones designed to assist them.

# WEBSTER GROVES ANNEXATION

Suburb Votes to Take In 684-Acre Strip.

Webster Groves voted yesterday, 554 to 38, to annex a 684-acre strip of land south of the present city limits between Berry and Laclede Station roads.

The new boundaries correspond approximately with those of the recently incorporated Webster Groves Sanitary Sewer District. The proposal was recommended by the City Plan Commission of Webster Groves, which pointed out that annexation would provide fire and police protection and zoning regulation in the area, part of which is under development for home sites.

National Aeronautic President.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Charles F. Hornier of Kansas City was elected president of the National Aeronautic Association yesterday, succeeding United States Senator

William G. McAdoo of California, who declined to seek re-election. Hornier, who served with Hugh Johnson during the early days of NRA, had been an executive assistant to McAdoo. Capt. A. J. Williams of Pittsburgh was elected vice-president; Ben King of Washington, treasurer, and Mrs. Louise Thaden of Little Rock, Ark., was re-elected secretary.

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AAA Is No More. Who Will Pay Now? The General Welfare. A Crashing Decision.

By ARTHUR BRISBANE.

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THE Supreme Court decision rejecting AAA, the "Agricultural Adjustment Act," affects every American directly. Issued just as the President announced his program to balance the national budget within \$1,000,000,000, the decision upsets that administration program.

Men with large incomes, of whom few survive, may worry, for the decision takes from the Government \$700,000,000 a year of processing taxes that will have to be made good elsewhere. The manufacturers' or processing tax, handed along to the little people, was, in reality, a sales tax on life's necessities, cotton cloth, flour, meat.

Through its AAA, the administration said to farmers: "You raise too much, competing so disastrously you cannot get living prices. Produce less, plow cotton under, plant less grain, fewer potatoes. Making food scarce you will make it expensive, and get higher prices. The Government will pay you cash for raising less."

Farmers agreed they had no choice. The next problem was to provide \$700,000,000 a year for the farmers' bonus and then came the "processing tax."

It taxed manufacturers who changed wheat to flour, raw cotton to cotton cloth, etc.

Little people who bought cotton and flour paid the processing tax and the Government passed the money to the farmers as a reward for producing less. Some thought the millennium had arrived, others said this country could no longer compete with the outside world and would suffer eventually.

The Supreme Court settled the argument by saying, 6 to 3, "YOU CAN'T DO THAT. IT'S NOT CONSTITUTIONAL."

The excuse for AAA was the "welfare clause" in the Constitution permitting Congress to levy taxes "to provide for the common defense and general welfare of the United States."

The Supreme Court's adverse decision hangs on that word "general."

The Court holds that taxing all of the consumers to create better prices and a bonus for farmers, is not promoting the "general welfare," but only promoting the welfare of the farmer class, at the expense of the larger class of consumers.

A few farmers raise wheat, everybody eats bread made of flour. AAA taxing flour to raise the price of wheat does not promote the "general" welfare.

AAA asserts that promoting welfare in the great agricultural class must necessarily promote the "general" welfare, in spite of the fact that it takes money in the way of process taxation from all and hands it to a minority.

The Supreme Court was not unanimous in its decision. Three Justices, generally but inaccurately referred to as the "radical" or "left wing" of the court, Justices Brandeis, Cardozo and Stone, vehemently protested against the decision that temporary upsets the AAA and the administration's plans.

The three dissenting Justices declared that "courts are not the only agency of Government that must be assumed to have the capacity to govern." The other six will say that has nothing to do with a law's constitutionality.

Such a violent difference of opinion as exists in the court, if it should develop outside the Supreme Court, might be called by the more conservative extreme radicalism or something stronger.

The question is, who will provide cash promised the farmers, since the Supreme Court will not sanction the sales tax, disguised as a processing tax?

Whence will come the hundreds of millions that Government owes to farmers under its AAA promises and has not yet paid? The farmers did their part. The Government could hardly fail to do its part by paying.

NRA was rejected by unanimous vote of the Supreme Court. AAA has one-third of the Court in its favor.

That fact will be emphasized by those who suggest an immediate amendment to the Constitution which would permit the administration to do what the Supreme Court says it cannot do now.

With the Constitution changed appropriately, anything that anybody might imagine could be done. The disagreement between the administration and the "highest" court has, politically, something of the effect of an earthquake. Things

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# FREE SPEECH GRANTED IN SPAIN

Greater Political Latitude Precedes Elections on Feb. 16.

By the Associated Press.

MADRID, Jan. 13.—Spain enjoyed the full liberties guaranteed under its constitution today for the first time in 15 months.

A decree restoring the constitutional guarantees was published in the official Gazette together with decrees dissolving Parliament and setting elections for Feb. 16. While the ordinary life of the citizens remained the same and public buildings were guarded as usual, the restoration of constitutional guarantees meant greater latitude for parties in holding political meetings, greater freedom of speech and more latitude for newspapers in criticizing the government.

# Three Children Burned to Death.

BRUCECOTON, Tenn., Jan. 8.—Three children under four years old were burned to death in a farmhouse near here yesterday while their mother was on an errand to a neighbor's house 200 yards away. The father, Aerial Hall, a tenant farmer, was away from home working.



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**Today**  
Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.  
**AAA Is No More.**  
**Who Will Pay Now?**  
**The General Welfare.**  
**A Crashing Decision.**

By ARTHUR BRISBANE.  
(Copyright, 1936.)  
THE Supreme Court decision re-  
jecting AAA, the "Agricultural  
Adjustment Act," affects every  
American directly. Issued just as  
the President announced his pro-  
gram to balance the national  
budget within \$1,000,000,000, the de-  
cision upsets that administration  
program.  
Men with large incomes, of whom  
few survive, may worry, for the  
decision takes from the Govern-  
ment \$700,000,000 a year of process-  
ing taxes that will have to be  
made good elsewhere. The manu-  
facturers' or processing tax, hand-  
ed along to the little people, was,  
in reality, a sales tax on life's neces-  
sities, cotton cloth, flour, meat.

Through its AAA, the adminis-  
tration said to farmers: "You raise  
too much, competing so disastrously  
you cannot get living prices. Pro-  
duce less, plow cotton under, plant  
less grain, fewer potatoes. Making  
food scarce you will make it expen-  
sive, and get higher prices. The  
Government will pay you cash for  
raising less."

Farmers agreed they had no  
choice. The next problem was to  
provide \$700,000,000 a year for the  
farmers' bonus and then came the  
"processing tax."

It taxed manufacturers who  
changed wheat to flour, raw cotton  
to cotton cloth, etc.  
Little people who bought cotton  
and flour paid the processing tax  
and the Government passed the  
money to the farmers as a reward  
for producing less. Some thought  
the millennium had arrived, others  
said this country could no longer  
compete with the outside world and  
would suffer eventually.

The Supreme Court settled the  
argument by saying, 6 to 3, "YOU  
CANNOT DO THAT. IT'S NOT CON-  
STITUTIONAL."  
The excuse for AAA was the  
"welfare clause" in the Constitu-  
tion permitting Congress to levy  
taxes "to provide for the common  
defense and general welfare of the  
United States."

The Supreme Court's adverse de-  
cision hangs on that word "gen-  
eral."  
The Court holds that taxing all of  
the consumers to create better  
prices and a bonus for farmers, is  
not promoting the "general wel-  
fare," but only promoting the wel-  
fare of the farmer class, at the ex-  
pense of the larger class of con-  
sumers.

A few farmers raise wheat, every-  
body eats bread made of flour. AAA  
taxing flour to raise the price of  
wheat does not promote the "gen-  
eral" welfare.

AAA asserts that promoting wel-  
fare in the great agricultural class  
must necessarily promote the "gen-  
eral" welfare, in spite of the fact  
that it takes money in the way of  
process taxation from all and hands  
it to a minority.

The Supreme Court was not  
unanimous in its decision, three  
Justices, generally but inaccurately  
referred to as the "radical" or  
"left wing" of the court, Justices  
Brandeis, Cardozo and Stone, ve-  
hemently protested against the de-  
cision that temporarily upsets the  
AAA and the administration's plans.

The three dissenting Justices de-  
clared that "courts are not the only  
agency of Government that must  
be assumed to have the capacity to  
govern." The other six will say  
that has nothing to do with a law's  
constitutionality.  
Such a violent difference of opinion  
as exists in the court, if it should  
develop outside the Supreme Court,  
might be called by the more con-  
servative extreme radicalism or  
something stronger.

The question is, who will provide  
cash promised the farmers, since  
the Supreme Court will not sanction  
the sales tax, disguised as a process-  
ing tax?

Whence will come the hundreds  
of millions that Government owes  
to farmers under its AAA promises  
and has not yet paid? The farmers  
did their part, the Government  
could hardly fail to do its part by  
paying.

NRA was rejected by unanimous  
vote of the Supreme Court. AAA  
has one-third of the Court in its  
favor.

That fact will be emphasized by  
those who suggest an immediate  
amendment to the Constitution  
which would permit the adminis-  
tration to do what the Supreme Court  
says it cannot do now.

With the Constitution changed  
appropriately, anything that any-  
body might imagine could be done.  
The disagreement between the  
administration and the highest  
court has, politically, something of  
the effect of an earthquake. Things

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## BOMB STRIKING RIVER OF LAVA



A 600-pound bomb, dropped from an army plane, hits the lava flowing from the Mauna Loa volcano on the Island of Hawaii. The explosives were dropped in an effort to divert the stream.  
—Associated Press Wirephoto.

## ITALIAN MACHINE GUNNERS



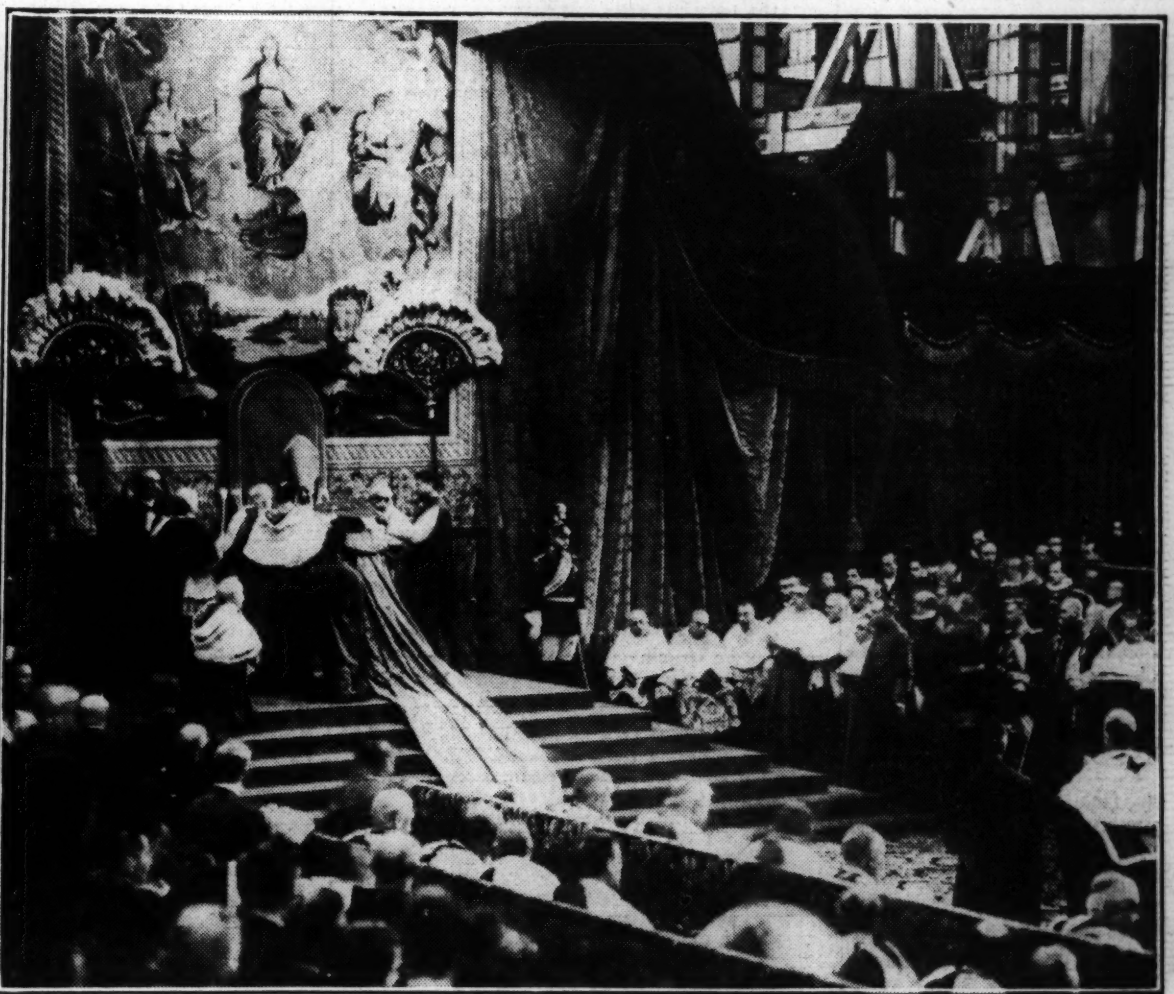
Mussolini's soldiers hold a river bank in Ethiopia.

## HEARING ON COUNTY HOSPITAL



Dr. E. Lee Dorsett, left, giving his deposition in the suit to oust Dr. Edwin L. Sheahan as head of the St. Louis County Hospital. Prosecuting Attorney Anderson, his assistant John Wolfe and a stenographer are also shown.

## CREATING NEW CARDINALS



Scenes in St. Peter's at Rome as Pope Pius confers the red hat upon 16 new cardinals.

## HOPEFUL SINGER



Miss Bernice Higgins of Chicago, protegee of Harold F. McCormick who is on her way to Paris to study for a year.

## HASH HORN



L. E. Clark of Wichita and the horn he recently invented. It is composed of parts of four standard horns.

## BIRTH CONTROL ADVOCATES



The National Committee for Federal Legislation for Birth Control in session in Washington as Congress opens. From left, Mrs. Walter Timme, Mrs. T. N. Hepburn, Mrs. A. C. Barker and Mrs. Alexander Dick.  
—Associated Press Wirephoto.

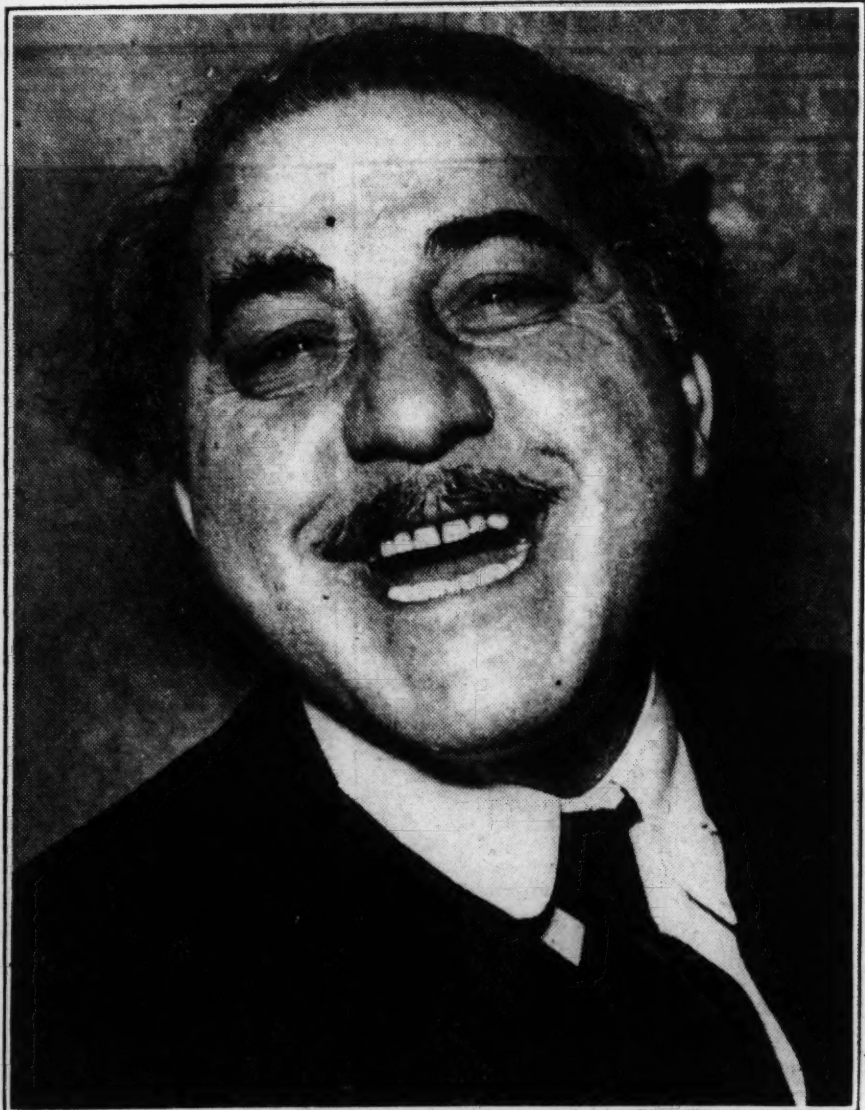


## DAILY MAGAZINE

## From PANTS PRESSER to COMEDIAN

Henry Armetta's Devious Route to Success in Movie Land

By Colvin McPherson



Henry Armetta... today.

THIS business of setting lather to china must provide some sort of inspiration to those who have talents for the screen. Take the great Garbo—and there is no soft-soap in the compliment—who use to brush the way ahead for the tonsorial artists of Sweden. Or take Henry Armetta, that genial gentleman who heads the stage show at the Ambassador this week.

Armetta's course to the cinema was a little more direct than that of the glamorous Greta. Lathering, pants-pressing, the stage and the screen were the successive steps for the character actor. Today he makes a dozen times the number of pictures that Garbo does, even exceeding that mature genius, Mickey Mouse.

The great 80 million who take their entertainment from the flickering phantoms every week in these United States, it will be agreed, are exceedingly fond of all three. And although they know Mickey as Mickey and Greta from the 10,000 impersonations, they do not know always know Henry Armetta by name.

They know him by sight—the funny little Italian barber, fish merchant, tailor or vegetable man whose misadventures of American life overwhelm him, whose explosive temperament fades into gracious sunlight at the merest kindness. By himself, he has put life in many a celluloid corpse, in many a cast of costly embalmed star material. It is a rare week that he is not on the screen. Today, he is in person downtown and in photography on Grand.

The job of being Hollywood's Italian comedian week after week is most satisfactory. And California is "O. K.," too, he says. Although he lives back in Beverly Hills, he finds the coast like Italy and Catalina Island reminds him of Naples. He loves Italy "very, very much" and the United States, too, having lived here for the last 33 years.

Coming to this country was more or less the whim of a moment, and a relatively simple matter. In his hometown of Palermo, Sicily, his father conducted a lucrative business stocking ships with provisions. The boy, Henry, went aboard nearly every ship that came in port, was known by members of the crews.

Having heard a great deal about America (he was born on July 4, 1888, so that accounts for a little advance patriotism), he wanted to see what it was like. Once he was discovered scrambling up the anchor chain as it was about to be

hoisted. Came another day on which he was under some minor cloud of punishment at home, and he went aboard ship again, this time down the hatch with a cargo of lemons and oranges.

The ship docked at Boston. "I had been preparing the coal for the stokers to pay my way, after I was found," the comedian explained, in much freer English than he uses on the screen. "So that I had the clothes almost burned off me. And I was turned over to the police."

But a barber befriended him, guaranteed his support in the country for a year. Somebody gave him a suit and he had his picture taken to send back to his mother and father so they wouldn't be worried.

"For nine months I worked in the barber shop," he related. "Then I ran away and worked in New York. The barber shops were terrible. Five-cent shaves. I put the lather to get them ready."

The adventurous lad skipped out again, to work as waterboy for a railroad crew in "some place that was like a desert." It took him three months to get back to New York and another barber job.

"A friend of mine got me a job at the Lamb Club," he says. "I was not such a fine barber for that place, where all the actors lived. I learned how to press pants and became the valet. Then Raymond Hitchcock got me for his valet."

"Hitchcock was a very lovable man, and he used to kid me all the time. He was putting on 'The Yankee Consul' and I went with him. I had a good voice so I went into the chorus of the show."

The step was made, as simply as that. Armetta next turned to an Italian stock company, entered the movies in 1913 in

Washington, Jan. 7. (By Telegram to the Post-Dispatch.)

NEEDLESS to say, the big thing in the past 24 hours has been the Supreme Court decision.

thought it was going to be the budget, but that has been completely overshadowed. It seemed to me that after a long afternoon of reading and re-reading and trying to digest legal opinions, we would have a rather quiet and subdued swim at 6 o'clock.

One of our sons who was still home, a young friend of his, and one of the men who had been working with my husband, all appeared with me at the pool.

My husband was already in the water and when I reached the door I dropped my wrapper, plunged into the water and swimming about very quietly. I inquired hesitatingly how they all were feeling.

To my complete surprise, instead of either discouragement or even annoyance, I was told that everything was feeling fine, and on that note we finished our swim. Then we went up to dress for dinner and the family met again at the dinner table. No guests were present.

I was prepared for some candid opinions on current events. Instead,

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ents for soft relief, it's even more  
outfits shown are ginger brown,  
for those who cannot wear black.

## 1935 Active Year Among Philatelists

Unusually Large Number  
of New Stamp Issues All  
Over World.

THE year 1935 was noteworthy in the stamp world because of new issues and activity of collectors. The United States, with its "Farley's Folies" or special sheets issued early this year, is an example of what has been done by the United States, while the Jubilee stamps of the British Empire exceeded the Farley sheets in number of denominations as well as in quantity issued. The Philatelic Agency in Washington reports that Christmas 1935 proved that more and more people are giving stamps as Christmas presents. The agency received hundreds of orders from stamp collectors in various parts of the country, with instructions that they be sent so as to be received shortly before Christmas. A majority of these orders called for sets and blocks of the commemorative stamps on the Philatelic Agency's list.

The recent 25-cent China Clipper Airmail stamp has been one of the most popular stamps issued in recent times by the Postoffice Department. To date more than one million of these stamps have been sold, the majority of them to stamp collectors.

The Postoffice Department has been requested to issue a great number of stamps during 1936. Included are:

A stamp to commemorate the centenary of the building of the first observatory in the United States at Williams College, Mass. This represents the beginning of American astronomy.

A stamp in honor of Frederick Douglass, Negro orator, publicist and statesman.

A stamp to commemorate the hundredth anniversary of the birth of the painter, Winslow Homer.

A memorial stamp for President James Madison and also Aaron Burr, one-time Vice-President of the United States.

A stamp commemorating the Tercentenary of Rhode Island.

A stamp in honor of Miss Susan B. Anthony, woman suffrage and temperance leader and advocate of peace and social justice.

A 50 cent, 75 and \$1 stamp for the Trans-Atlantic airmail. Two other stamps which will be issued will be commemoratives for the State of Texas and the State of Arkansas.

Stamp collectors for a long time have been against the issuance of superfluous and speculative stamps but never have taken them abroad for these issues from either the catalogue or their albums. Recently two Chicago stamp clubs, the Chicago Philatelic Society and the North Shore Philatelic Society, suggested to the National Federation of Stamp Clubs that they organize a committee to advise the S. P. A. name a committee of prominent philatelists to act as censors of all new issues from all countries and that stamp collectors refuse to buy stamps not approved by this committee and that the catalogue publishers both here and abroad be forced by collective philatelic opinion to refuse catalogue recognition to all but approved issues. Stamp collectors at one time attempted to oversee new issues of stamps but the reason it failed was because the stamps got into the various catalogues.

One of the railroads which runs through Boulder City, Colo., purchased 1,000,000 Boulder stamps to be used by them and to give publicity to the issue.

A total of 5,735,904 copies of the perforated Little America stamp was sold by the Postoffice Department.

One of the most extensive and valuable collections of philatelic literature in the world is that of the Library of Congress in Washington.

"proper use" of land, not for reducing crops. That might be called conducting to the "general welfare." Keep track of this Supreme Court news, for it interests all of us, and will affect all of us, although we may not know how or why.

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## IF YOU ASK MY OPINION

By Martha Carr

My dear Mrs. Carr:  
WHAT would you think of a young girl 21 years old calling her mother a "fool" and also standing up and cursing her and often hitting her—not light taps, either. This girl goes to school and has all the money, clothes and things she needs. She makes good grades, has girl friends a plenty and also boys for company. She dances, plays the piano and enjoys life. But if her mother speaks to her, she is called a name and if the mother appears while she has company, she is told that she is "nosy" before the other girls. This daughter also nuzzles her father. She has been begged not to do this, but seems to delight in it just the same. She swears until people outside hear her and are talking about her.  
M. E.

I think a great plenty about such a girl—too much to say here. But I can tell you that, unless she has been feeble-minded from birth, her mother and father are reaping exactly what they sowed. Probably since she has been able to talk, she has been the spoiled child for whom the rod was spared. I cannot imagine a mother and father waiting until she is 21 to realize, suddenly, that she is everything disrespectful and inconsiderate that a daughter could be. It may be too late, but in your place, I should take a chance on telling her that I intended putting up with this no longer; that, in case she found it not worthwhile to curb her tongue and realize that she was not only disrespectful, but common and ill-bred, making herself the laughing stock of girls who know better, she could go to work at once and earn her own living; that you and her father have done your very best to give her love, education, a pleasing appearance and good times—all any parents can do. But now, you feel, if she does not try to act more like an adult, if she wants to embarrass her parents by taking this cheap attitude, then you feel perhaps she would prefer being entirely independent of them.

My dear Mrs. Carr:  
I HAVE a child 11 years old who cannot be entered in any of the schools, even the crippled children's school. He is suffering from the effects of the measles and an infection following. This left him crippled and 70 per cent feeble-minded, according to the doctors. The child seems smart musically and catches things he hears over the radio. He also learns from the children in the neighborhood. I have tried to get him in several schools, but they are not patient enough to give him a trial, as they did two years ago, and he has improved since then. But he gets excited in strangers' presence and does not do so well. He is too crippled to get around by himself. I had him out to the St. Louis Training School, but my husband insisted upon my bringing him home.

I would like to find some place to educate him a little, at least. Can you give me a slight idea what it would cost to employ a teacher at the home and abroad? I am very nervous and could not have the time and patience to teach him at home.  
MRS. H. M.

The St. Louis Society for Crippled Children would, I believe, if you would ask their advice, giving details, residence and mode of travel, than you could give me tell you what to do in your little boy's case; perhaps suggesting a private teacher if that proves best in his case. The society is located at 3534 Washington boulevard. Telephone JEF-erson 5505.

Dear Mrs. Carr:  
I'm writing about some very old copies of newspapers (dated 1800), which I have. They are all readable and most of them the same place. Will you kindly send me the names of some persons who might be interested? MRS. H. R.

Advertise these papers in the want ad columns. I do not know of individuals who would be interested. You might also write the Library of Congress, Washington D. C., where they have a collection of these issues.

Dear Mrs. Carr:  
COULD you tell me whether there is a premium on a Bible which was printed in the year 1733, therefore is 202 years old? It is 15 inches long, 10 1/2 wide and 4 1/4 inches thick. It is in good condition. Have you any idea what I could get for it and where I could find a buyer. It would be a wonderful addition to a collection of old books.  
THANK YOU.

Your Bible may be valuable, although there are many much older. The printing, binding and general makeup would have to be considered. Write to Herbert Putnam, Librarian, Library of Congress, Washington, D. C., giving minute details. Mr. Putnam might be willing to give you some information and possibly an estimate on its value. You might also inquire at the Main Library here.

Letters intended for this column must be addressed to Martha Carr at the St. Louis Post-Dispatch. Mrs. Carr will answer all questions of general interest but, of course, cannot give advice on matters of a purely legal or medical nature. Those who do not care to have their letters published may enclose an addressed and stamped envelope for personal reply.

Accessories Emeralds have taken the lead in colored stones, a number of them being used in diamond bracelets and clips. The vogue for pieces made entirely of colored stones, however, has begun to wane, according to jewelers.

## The Antipathy Of Wives for Working Women

A Woman Writer Believes  
That Suspicion and Self-  
Pity Are Causes.

By Elsie Robinson

WITHIN one recent month, nine wives in widely separated parts of these United States committed murder. Shot their husbands or working women friends of their husbands. And in each case, before the news had been an hour on the street, the same thing happened.

The wives of each community rallied en masse to the defense of the shooting lady—and against the shot man or woman.

Mind you, it had not been proven in any case that the man was unfaithful, or the woman illicitly connected with him. Nor, in most of the cases, did the wife attempt to advance any proof. She merely stated that she "had been wronged." This was enough.

Unhesitatingly, thousands of women who had never seen her, or had any possible interest in her affairs, upheld her act and condemned her victim, particularly the woman in the case. Toward this latter, their attitude was loud with unrestrained bitterness.

Surely this is a curious and significant fact. American women are not stupid, inexperienced or badly treated. They have, on the average, better educations and a larger freedom than women of any other nation. They have, when young, far more opportunity to associate with the other sex, and nearly all of them work with men before marriage.

Then why this mass suspicion and hate of working women—this instant assumption that no working woman is any better than she ought to be?

The whole thing roots in envy and bewilderment. The Home Woman suspects and condemns the Working Woman on general principles because the Working Woman is what she, the Home Woman, isn't—and has what she hasn't.

There has been a bigger change in woman's world within the last 50 years than in the preceding 500. Overnight, all women have been avalanched into new rights and responsibilities which are beyond the average woman's understanding or ability to handle. They have been shoved from their protected, personal handicraft world into the vast, unprotected, impersonal world of the Machine Age and told to Snap Into It.

But the average woman can't snap into it. If she's over 40 her childhood training makes it utterly impossible. Even amongst the younger generation, only the smartest and swiftest can adapt themselves to the new tempo and tension.

The average mother expects to run things as her mother ran them, emotionally, and taking her time about it. No one blamed grandma for running things that way. No one expected grandma to do things in a man's way—competes with man's methods. Why then should she be blamed?

Yet she is blamed by her husband and children and society in general. Or worse yet, ignored. Each day she faces increasingly unfavorable comparison with the efficient woman of the business world. From her romantic viewpoint, masculine admiration has but one significance—it implies desire. If her husband promises her a new dress, a new hat, a new car, a new home, it means that he is in love with her. Naturally, she feels that the Working Woman is Domestic Enemy No. 1.

In addition to suspicion, ENVY and SELF-PITY enter the picture. The working woman is sleek, smart, slender where she—the homemaker—is all too often a dowdy dumping. The working woman is modern to her polished finger tips—knows the latest fashions, the newest charm technique. She has a thousand ways of meeting the immemorial sex conflict where the wife has but one—A Good Hard Cry.

Above all, the working woman enjoys a companionship with men which the wife never achieves, but which she is never allowed to desire. She too could achieve it, she's sure, if she didn't have to spend every nickel on the children...go around in rags...live cooped up in four walls, etc. But does anyone appreciate her sacrifice? Does anyone reward her for "giving the best years of her youth" to a heartless brute of a man? They do NOT!

## The KING HONORS an OLD-TIME ENEMY

Christabel Pankhurst, Once Suffragette Terrorist, Now Dame Commander



Christabel Pankhurst, sister of Christabel.

Christabel in prison.

Christabel Pankhurst... in the days of her militant activity.

By Marguerite Martyn

Seen dubbed Dame Commander of the Order of the British Empire by King George. It is a title which corresponds to knight conferred on women for services rendered to the Empire.

Who would have believed it 25 years ago, when Christabel, most ruthless of the Suffragettes, was the busiest and most resourceful at thinking up new schemes of torment for the King and his Ministers?

It was Emmeline Pankhurst, the mother, who originated militant tactics with the policy of terrorism and martyrdom as the means of obtaining votes for women. Two younger daughters, Sylvia and Adela, worked and suffered consistently in the ranks of women who did battle with mobs and the police. But it was Christabel, her mother's eldest, favorite, most daring daughter, who, when milder, more open-and-above-board annoyances failed to move a stubborn Parliament, devised and found recruits for a policy of secret arson, violence and destruction. Usually Christabel headed deputations when Prime Ministers were to be interviewed, but somehow Christabel managed to escape service when it was merely a matter of getting arrested and thrown into jail.

Other women threw stones, smashed windows, stopped traffic, did anything that would incite the police to arrest them instead of dispersing them, as they were ordered to do. Other women risked death and some achieved this martyrdom. One tripped the King's horse in the Derby in order to attract attention to the cause, and was trampled to death. Others died from the effects of hunger strikes and forcible feeding which was the popular means of getting out of jail when once they had got themselves behind the bars. Others, released at the point of death from starvation or the tortures of forcible feeding, lived to be arrested again and again under the Cat and Mouse Act. For assuming responsibility for bombing the home of Chancellor Lloyd-George, Mrs. Pankhurst was sentenced to three years in prison. For throwing a hatchet into the automobile of Prime Minister Asquith and nipping the ear of John Redmond, M. P., two other women went to prison.

Women in deputations stormed Parliament, chained and padlocked themselves to gallery railings and to the front steps of Cabinet members' houses. They sneaked themselves into banquet halls and private parties as servants, there to break out their banners and shout "Votes for women!"

grandstands and crowded theaters, turned in false fire alarms. In such cases the culprits were caught and taken into custody before much damage was done, because that is what they were waiting around for. There were prison volunteers. "You can go to prison and win laurels of immortality," announced Christabel Pankhurst in her paper, "The Suffragette." Stone throwers who achieved this distinction were decorated with brooches set with small flints. Women wore the badge of the broad arrow, mark of English prison dress. All of which spectacles served to advertise the cause, but were treated by officialdom as pernicious forms of hysteria and only succeeded in making Parliament more obstinately opposed to enfranchising women.

Then came Christabel with her plots of secrecy aimed at destruction of historic relics, churches, priceless works of art, bombing the homes of notables, anything short of murder if it could be accomplished without getting caught. This was Christabel's plan alone, and she had plenty of recruits although it was too much even for some of the most ardent and valuable supporters of the "Women's Social and Political Union," the militant branch of the suffrage movement. It alienated her sister Sylvia and the Pethick-Lawrences, who, wealthy at first, were the angels of the movement and who afterward, with astute organizing ability, raised a war chest equal to those of established political parties.

"Victory or death!" Christabel and her cohorts were shouting when along came the war. Then came the enfranchisement of women in England through a logical sequence of events and as peaceably as it came in other countries.

"During the war women have rendered as effective service as any other class. We cannot deny their

claim," spoke Asquith, when after having been dodged and evaded since 1905, the question came to a vote in 1917. Opposition to suffrage limited to women over 35 disappeared as the mist before the sun. In 1928 all restrictions were swept away virtually without effort.

The prophecy of Kier Hardie, leader of the Labor party and always a proponent of the women's movement apparently has come true. "In a few years we shall forget what they did at this or that meeting. . . . We shall remember only their prolonged and dauntless struggle," he said in 1910, knowing his England where the stone has always been an honored political weapon.

It was a riot staged by a Labor deputation before Parliament, forcing favorable consideration of their bill which gave the W. S. P. U. its first inspiration to resort to militancy. And a Prime Minister, Campbell-Bannerman, who, retiring without having fulfilled an election promise that their bill should have a hearing, gave the movement a spur when he advised women to have patience but nevertheless to go on "pestering," give the Government no peace.

Presumably King George now recognizes the militant campaign for enfranchisement as a heroic struggle, since he decorates its conspicuous leader. On one thing all factions of the suffrage movement can agree, the pioneers of 1905 found the movement an academic question and made it a vital issue of national affairs.

From the origin of the militant movement the name of Pankhurst is not to be separated. It made a great noise in the world and it grew until its headquarters occupied 37 rooms, all seething with industrious workers, but it was a closely organized group, of which the Pankhursts were the unquestioned commanders.

"The effort is not to form branches as is being done here," explained Sylvia Pankhurst on a lecture tour in St. Louis, "but to create an impression on the country, to set everybody talking about votes for women, to keep the subject in the press, to leave the Government no peace from it. We have to make a fight which will bring the light of publicity into it."

In that they succeeded. There was rarely a day the papers around the world did not tell of some new mischief the Suffragettes had been up to.

It WAS all a long time ago, but King George must remember some embarrassing moments attributable especially to Christabel Pankhurst, for she was the bold, most ingenious, trouble-maker of them all.

Why should she now be singled out for honoring?

Mrs. Pankhurst is dead, to be sure. Her statue stands in Westminster not far from the House of Commons upon whose doors she battered so many years in vain. She lived to stand beside Lloyd-George at great demonstrations of women organized for war service. But there is Sylvia who always did more harm to herself than anybody else. Sylvia went to prison 13 times. Her health is said to have been permanently impaired by forcible feeding. Christabel, with her secret plotting, cleverly escaped arrest until once, taking a day off from bombing and making speeches, she let fly a stone. Then she escaped in disguise to France and stayed there till the war and a general amnesty for political prisoners made it safe for her to come back. Sylvia in her 60-page history, "The Suffragette Movement," leaves no doubt of Christabel's chameleon-like adaptability to changing situations. Sylvia, a consistent pacifist during the war, devoted herself to relief work among the poor from an East Side settlement, refused to do Rear Guarding, for which she was repudiated by her mother and elder

ble, personal and powerful Second Coming of the Lord Jesus Christ as foreshown by the present signs of the times."

In her book, Sylvia remarks more than once on her sister's switches to conservatism and aristocracy. Now Dame Christabel is up among the knights and ladies. Times certainly have changed since, as Sylvia writes, "A certain exceedingly feminine-looking young lady (Christabel) was strolling about London meeting militants in all sorts of public and unexpected places to arrange perilous expeditions: toiling through the night across unfamiliar country carrying cases of petrol and paraffine, looking for a likely building in which to explode it, preferably the residence of a notable of historic interest. Works of art, the spiritual offspring of the race, were attacked without ruth."

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Don't suffer. Relieve burning and irritation simply by soaking feet in suds of Cuticura Soap in warm water—and applying Cuticura Ointment. Brings quick comfort—welcome rest. Try it tonight. In the morning, dust feet with Cuticura Talcum. Helps prevent shoe irritation. Soap 25c. Ointment 25c. Talcum 25c. Sold everywhere.

alster, was an avowed friend of the Russian revolution while her mother went to Russia to influence Kerenky not to withdraw from the war, turned Communist, edited a radical paper, "The Workers' Dreadnought," and in 1920 was arrested for publishing seditious literature. In 1928, as a further declaration in favor of sex freedom and equality, she announced the birth to herself of a son out of wedlock. Adela during the war took herself off to Australia and campaigned against conscription.

Christabel, on the other hand, reformed. Not only that, but she got religion. During the war she became a super patriot, carried on an intensive recruiting crusade, pinning the white feather on all objectors to service. "Intern them all!" was her loud demand. The name of her paper she changed to "Britannia."

SINCE the peace she has declared herself disappointed in universal suffrage. "Only picked women, the very highest and most intelligent, are worthy the ballot," she is quoted as saying. Her oratorical gifts with which, as a Pankhurst, she is well endowed, are devoted to evangelism. According to "Who's Who" she is now active in preaching the gospel of the "visi-

Christabel on a visit to this country for evangelistic meetings (at left).

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## Miscellaneous Problems of Social Usage

A Questionnaire Which  
Touches on Numerous  
Rules of Conduct.

By Emily Post

Dear Mrs. Post:  
W E would prefer reasons for your answers to the following, but not at the expense of leaving off some of our questions:

(Q) In passing strangers when taking our places (or going out between the acts in the theater, which way is one supposed to face?

(A) The stage, because much easier to press your knees next to back of seat in front than to pass people knee to knee, which you must, however, manage to do should you cross over others to your own theater party.

(Q) 1. At a man's stag dinner at home, what becomes of his family? 2. May his wife receive the guests and then go away?

(A) 1. Usually they go out and dine with wife of one of the husband's guests. Or possibly they stay upstairs. At all events they stay out of sight. 2. On no account should she appear.

(Q) Should a man stand bare-headed on the street when talking to a woman?

(A) A gentleman would, yes. (This is one of the occasions when the word gentleman is essential to meaning.)

(Q) Must all gentlemen at table stand when they are with ladies and another gentleman stops to talk?

(A) No. Because gentlemen are required to rise only for ladies.

(Q) Should a woman assist a man in putting on his coat?

(A) A lady—never unless he is old or an invalid. A woman—if she is a maid—should be a visitor of her employer—yes.

(Q) Is a fiancée introduced to his fiancée's friends as John or Mr.?

(A) To her personal friends as John; to acquaintances as Mr.

(Q) Do people greet each other in church?

(A) At ordinary church services, people avoid looking directly at one another but if one happens to catch a friend's eye one would perhaps slightly smile, but not bow. But at a wedding people smile and nod and, if sitting next each other, talk a little in very low voices.

(Q) May the collation at an afternoon tea vary?

(A) Yes, it can vary within the entire scope of a bakery but there should be no foods that can not be classed as breads or cakes or pastries. Other foods change a tea into a reception.

(Q) Should a man take the outside place when walking with a woman on the street?

(A) Strictly speaking, yes, especially in a great city. Otherwise, it is not important.

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Apple Cheese Betty.  
Cover the bottom of a buttered baking dish with crumbled bread-crumbs. Add a layer of thinly sliced tart apples. Sprinkle with sugar, bits of butter, a little nutmeg and one-half cup grated sharp cheese. Cover with a layer of buttered crumbs. Add one-half cup water and bake in a covered dish in a moderate oven until apples are tender, removing for a while to lightly brown.

## Some Real Information on COLDS

How any community can reduce the suffering time and discomfort in "Cold" season

Place no faith in so-called "instant" cold cures. To relieve a cold, you should clear the head, dry the secretions, reduce the fever and keep the bowels open. This takes more than a "few minutes" and medicine of more than one kind.

You can get the necessary medicines of any druggist, by asking for Pape's Cold Compound which combines them in a pleasant tablet.

To relieve a "new" cold take two of these little tablets; chew them up, drink a glass of water.

Some colds may require additional treatment. If so, follow directions on the package. The relief thus afforded and the comfort it brings you are well worth the time.

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7:30	WFLW—Rocky Wollery's "Rocky and the KMOX—Lumberjacks. WFL—Music Room. WFLW—The Music Room.	
7:45	KMOX—LIVESTOCK REPORTS. KMOX—Radio Gospel Club. KWK—Dot and Wm. Skelton. WFL—Organ recital.	
7:50	KMOX—FRESH NEWS; ARTHUR HOLLAND, PIANIST. KMOX—Eugene Le Pique, pianist. WFL—Hollins. WFLW—Song Melodies. KWK—Words and Music.	7:15 7:30
7:55	KMOX—MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE. WFL—Opportunity program. WFL—Melodies. KMOX—Window Shopper.	7:45 8:00
8:00	KMOX—"RADIO AND SCREEN PERSONALITIES," by J. Ross. KMOX—American School of the Air. WFL—Public Relations and United States.	
8:15	KMOX—"RHYTHM MAKERS. WFL—Organ Melodies. KWK—At the Organ.	8:15
8:30	KMOX—"FRESH NEWS; SOLOIST. WFL—Organ Melodies. WFL—Voice releases. WFLW—Talk. KWK—Rochester Civic orchestra.	8:30
8:45	KSW—WFLW—The Music Room. KMOX—Back Stage WFL. WFL—The Music Room and the Music Room.	8:45 9:00
9:00	Songs. KWK—"The Wise Man." WFL—The Music Room.	
9:30	KMOX—"VIC AND SAE," sketch.	

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A Stranger Visits  
Top Notch at His  
General Store

By Mary Graham Bonner

"Come in," repeated Top Notch, in his busiest rooster voice.  
The knocking continued, but no one opened the door.  
"Come in," repeated Top Notch once again. "Come in, come in," he cried. "I'm a busy rooster and I can't waste my time calling out to some one to come in who doesn't do so."  
"I am too weak to open the latch," said a cackling voice from outside Top Notch's General Store.  
Top Notch lifted the latch with his wing and opened the door.  
"Who are you and where did you come from, cock-a-doodle-do, I'd like to know?" asked Top Notch.  
"Let me in, and I'll tell you all," said the visitor.  
"I'm a business rooster," said Top Notch, "and these are my business hours. Did you come to buy seeds from me? Or string? I'm arranging things on my counter now."  
"How can you be so coarse, rooster, as to talk about business to a distinguished, though weary, traveler?"  
"Why are you distinguished? Why are you weary?" asked Top Notch in his practical fashion.  
"Oh, dear, oh dear, how can you ask such questions of me? I thought that you, a superior rooster, would appreciate meeting one of great distinction, of great worth, of splendid family, of everything that is noble."  
"Ah, yes, noble is the word I use. Noble is what I mean. For noble I am. Alas, I thought some one such as you would understand that."  
"Oh, I do, I do," Top Notch answered his strange visitor.

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## A Torpedo in Reverse The Daily Short Story

# Let's EXPLORE Your MIND

By ALBERT EDWARD WIGGAM, D. Sc.

See Whether His Opinions Agree With Your Own

**AUTHOR'S NOTE:** These answers are given from the scientific point of view. Science puts the rights of organized society above the rights of individuals.  
—This problem has been studied by Y. Ushigima, psychologist, and reported in the Japanese Journal of Psychology—condensed in Psychology Abstracts—and he found there was only a slight tendency for children to "take after" their parents in these characteristics. Some extroverted parents had introverted children and vice versa. He concludes that children inherit intelligence much more strongly than they do these traits of personality.  
—Ellsworth Huntington of Yale in the remarkable book "Builders of America," shows just the contrary. He arranged the men in Who's Who in America, in the order of the amount of education they have had and then examined the size of their families. The results are astounding. While the men with advanced doctor's degrees have required three or four more years for education than those with merely a college degree, yet they have more children than the college men. Likewise the college men have more than the normal school graduates (doubtless the old type of normal school) and the normal school men have more than the high school men. He thinks this largely due to the greater vigor and general biological quality of the men who struggle through to higher educational achievements.

**1**  
DO CHILDREN INHERIT THE CHARACTERISTICS OF INTROVERSION AND EXTROVERSION FROM THEIR PARENTS?  
YES OR NO

**2**  
DO THE MANY YEARS REQUIRED FOR MEN TO SECURE ADVANCED EDUCATIONAL DEGREES CAUSE THEM TO HAVE FEWER CHILDREN?  
YES OR NO

**3**  
As related in the magazine Fortune, boys were first tried as telephone operators and their booming voices could be heard, but they could not be understood and, moreover, if a customer got irate they would often invite him to the corner saloon to have "this block knocked off." Girls were gradually substituted and were found to be much more tactful and patient—which accords with the modern finding on social intelligence tests—and their voices carried much more distinctly.

**4**  
WOULD BOYS MAKE AS GOOD TELEPHONE OPERATORS AS GIRLS?  
YES OR NO

**5**  
DO THE MANY YEARS REQUIRED FOR MEN TO SECURE ADVANCED EDUCATIONAL DEGREES CAUSE THEM TO HAVE FEWER CHILDREN?  
YES OR NO

## RADIO PROGRAMS FOR TODAY

St. Louis stations broadcast on the following channels: KSD, 550 kc.; KMOX, 1090 kc.; KWK, 1350 kc.; WIL, 1200 kc.; WEW, 750 kc.; KFUP, 550 kc.  
WXPFD will broadcast simultaneously with KSD throughout the day.  
12:30 Noon, KSD—LEE GORDON'S ORCHESTRA.  
WIL—Lunch party. WEW—Talk. KWK—Farm and Home program. KMOX—Magic Kitchen.  
12:35 WEW—Gypsy Joe. KFUP—Serena. KWK—H.C. Schreck. KMOX—Pete Woolery's orchestra. KWK—Lumberjacks. WIL—Music Room. WEW—Dance music. KSD—LIVESTOCK REPORTS.  
KMOX—Radio Gospel Club. KWK—Dance and music. WIL—Orchestra.  
1:00 KSD—PRESS NEWS; ARTHUR ROLAND, pianist.  
KMOX—Eugene Le Pique, pianist. WIL—Headlines of the Air. WEW—Song Melodies. KWK—Words and Music.  
1:15 KSD—MERCANTILE EXCHANGE. WIL—Opportunity program. WEW—Melodies. KMOX—Window Shopping.  
1:30 KSD—"RADIO AND SCREEN PERSONALITIES," Rita Ross. KWK—News. KMOX—American School of the Air. WEW—Public Service and U.S. News.  
1:45 KSD—RHYTHM MAKERS. WEW—Organ Melodies. KWK—KMOX—Press News; SOLOIST. KMOX—Ma Perkins. WIL—Police Release. WEW—Talk. KWK—KMOX—Pete Woolery's orchestra. KWK—Back Stage Wife. WIL—Neighborhood program. WEW—Neighborhood program. WIL—Neighborhood program. WEW—Neighborhood program.  
2:00 KSD—"VIC AND SAE," sketch. KMOX—How to be Charming. WIL—Spotlight Review. WEW—Line Melodies. WEW—Tango Americano.  
2:15 KSD—"THE O'NEILS," sketch. KMOX—Exchange Club. WIL—Musical. WEW—Hawaiian Serenade. KWK—Doctor Easy.  
2:30 KFUP—Shut-in Program. Rev. A. Grant. WIL—Today's Winners. WEW—Moments With the Masters. KMOX—"Miracle." KWK—Betty and Bob.  
2:45 KWK—Linda Ray and Her Boys. KWK—Linda Ray and Her Boys. KWK—Linda Ray and Her Boys. KWK—Linda Ray and Her Boys.  
3:00 KWK—Talk; U.S. Navy Band. KSD—KWK—Linda Ray and Her Boys. KWK—Linda Ray and Her Boys. KWK—Linda Ray and Her Boys.  
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4:00 KSD—AL PEARCE AND HIS GANG. WIL—University of the Air. KMOX—Al Pearce's orchestra. KWK—Concert hour.  
4:15 WEW—Bud Bittick, soloist; talk. KMOX—Clyde Barre, baritone. KSD—GRAN AND SMITH, piano duo.  
4:30 KWK—Larry Larson, organist. WIL—Stars of Radioland. WEW—Dance music. KMOX—Concert. KSD—"CLARA, LU AND EM," sketch.  
4:45 WIL—Varieties. KMOX—Gogo Delys, singer. KWK—Talk; music. KSD—MUSICAL ALMANAC. KWK—Animal Music Club. WIL—Headlines of the Air. KMOX—Buck Rogers. WIL—Omar, the Mystic.  
4:55 DJC, Berlin (6.05 meg.)—Berlin Symphony Concert. 2RD, Rome (8.5 meg.)—Opera.  
5:15 KSD—LEE GORDON'S ORCHESTRA. KWK—Russell Brown, singer. KWK—Al Dietzel's orchestra. WIL—Music.  
5:30 KSD—(8.87 meg.)—Spanish m. c. GOG (9.08) London—Imperial Palace.  
5:45 KSD—WEATHER REPORT; PRESS NEWS.  
5:50 KSD—"TOM MIX STRAIGHT SHOOTERS," children's sketch. KMOX—Jack Armstrong. KWK—Dick Tracy. WIL—Nonsense and Melody.  
6:00 GOG, London (9.58 meg.)—"Songs Dickens Knew."  
6:15 KSD—LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE, children's program. WIL—Parade of the Stars. KMOX—Adventures of Jimmy Allen. KWK—Lumberjacks.  
6:30 KSD—AMOS AND ANDY. KMOX—Sports. KWK—Easy Aces, sketch. WIL—Headlines of the Air. KMOX—Hawaiian band. KWK—Capt. Tim's Adventure Stories. WIL—Westerners.

**President's Address**  
At Jackson Day Dinner  
On KSD at 9:00 Tonight.  
**P**RESIDENT ROOSEVELT's address at the Jackson day dinner in Washington will be broadcast by KSD at 9 o'clock tonight.  
Programs scheduled on KSD this evening include:  
At 4:45, "Clara, Lu and Em," sketch.  
At 5:00, Musical Almanac.  
At 5:15, Lee Gordon's orchestra.  
At 5:25, Weather Report; Press News.  
At 5:30, Tom Mix Straight Shooters.  
At 5:45, Little Orphan Annie.  
At 6:00, Amos 'n' Andy.  
At 6:15, Rhythm makers.  
At 6:30, Melodiers.  
At 6:45, "News Reporter," Musical Cocktail.  
At 7:00, "One Man's Family," sketch.  
At 7:30, Wayne King's orchestra.  
At 8:00, "Town Hall Tonight," Fred Allen and Portland Hoffa; Songsmiths' quartet and Peter Van Steeden's orchestra.  
At 8:15, "Synopsators. WGN (720) — "The Couple Next Door." KWK—Press News.  
At 8:30, KMOX—Noble's orchestra. WGN (720) — Wallace's orchestra. KWK—Warden Lawes in 20,000 Years in Sing Sing. WGN (720) — "Globe Trotters."  
At 8:45, WIL—Globe Trotters.  
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At 12:00, WIL—Globe Trotters.

**Drama and Sketches**  
6:00 KSD—AMOS AND ANDY.  
6:15 KSD—"ONE MAN'S FAMILY."  
6:30 KMOX—"Cavalade of America."  
6:45 KSD—"LIGHTS OUT."  
**Dance Music Tonight**  
10:15 KMOX—Abe Lyman.  
10:30 KWK—Irving Rose.  
10:45 KMOX—Chic Scoggins. KWK—Al Stouckler's Gang.  
11:00 KSD—LEON BELASCO.  
KMOX—George Olsen.  
11:15 KWK—Orrin Tucker.  
11:30 KWK—Henry Halstead. KWK—Don Bestor.  
11:45 WGN (720)—Horace Heidt.  
**Daytime Tomorrow on Local Stations.**  
5:30 a. m. KMOX—Home Folks' program. Jimmy and Dick. KWK—Charlie Stouckler's Gang.  
6:00 KMOX—Aunt Sarah; livestock report.  
6:30 KMOX—Four Harvest Hands. KWK—Livestock report.  
7:00 KMOX—Country Home Folks' program. KWK—Morning devotionals. WIL—Breakfast Club. KFUP—Meditation; Emil Hartmann; organ. WIL—Press news. KMOX—Oscar Moushagers.  
7:15 KMOX—Tack Tock Revue. KWK—Ward and Lane.  
7:45 KWK—German program. KFUP—Ward and Lane.  
8:00 KSD—PRESS NEWS; RICHARD LIBERT, organist.  
KMOX—Views on News. KWK—Jack Jean and Jerry. WIL—Birth-day Bells.  
8:15 KSD—"THE STREAMLINERS," soloists and orchestra.  
KMOX—As You Like It. WIL—Music. WIL—King's Music.  
8:30 KMOX—Corn Huskers. WIL—Opportunity program. KWK—Grady Cantrell.  
8:45 KMOX—Fascinating Melodies. KWK—Around the Corner Club.  
9:00 KSD—PRESS NEWS; VAUGHN DE LEATH, contralto.  
KMOX—Music in the Air. KWK—Variety program. Art Gilman.  
9:15 KSD—"THREE FLATS," male trio. KMOX—Let's Compare Notes. KWK—Dance music.  
9:25 KSD—"BELLE AND MARTHA." KFUP—Students' chapel devotionals. WIL—Today's Children. WIL—Police releases. KMOX—Music in the Air.  
9:45 KSD—"MERCANTILE EXCHANGE." KMOX—Police Court. WIL—Headlines of the Air. KWK—Salute to Livestock.  
10:00 KSD—IDA BAYLEY ALLEN. KMOX—Mary Lee Taylor. KWK—News. WIL—Police Headquarters.  
10:15 KSD—GEORGE HARTREE, baritone. KMOX—Three Keys. KWK—Rapid Service.  
10:30 KSD—RAY NOBLE'S ORCHESTRA. KMOX—Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch. WIL—Harrison Rhythmic. KWK—Style Sleuth.  
10:45 KSD—RUTH ROYAL, pianist. KMOX—Just Plain Bill. WIL—Memories in Melody. KWK—Around the Corner Club.  
11:00 KSD—HEAD LINES FROM TODAY'S POST-DISPATCH; RICHARD HEMER'S ORCHESTRA.  
KMOX—Voice of Experience. KWK—Pete Mack's orchestra. WIL—Musical Glee.  
11:15 KSD—HONEYBOY AND SASSA-FRASS. KMOX—Jack Shannon, tenor. KWK—Linda Ray. WIL—Uncle Jimmy's Cowboy. KWK—Merry Madcaps.  
11:30 KSD—MARY MARLIN, sketch. KWK—

**Informative Talks**  
6:30 WEAF Chain — "Our American Schools," Dr. Belmont Parley, director of public relations of the National Educational Association.  
9:00 KSD—ADDRESS BY PRESIDENT FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT (also on KMOX and KWK).  
**Radio Concerts**  
8:00 KMOX—Nino Martini, and Andre Koteliansky's orchestra.  
8:30 WGN—Sinfonietta.  
9:30 KSD—MUSIC GUILD.  
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## ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH

# DAILY MAGAZINE

## Masque

By M. A. Tapp

**L**ONG afterward it always seemed rather symbolic to Francine, and to Jim also, that their first meeting should have held all the elements of stark tragedy. From the moment Fran made out the slowly moving group near her desert retreat deep in the New Mexico wastelands to be an almost exhausted man, his horse and a pack mule, her life was altered.  
Jim's destiny was likewise changed. The adobe hut appearing above the rim of a glaring, boulder-strewn world of alkali, which offered to the lost wanderer only further searing ranges of thirst, and maddening mirages of succor from heat dancing in the heatwaves, promised a heaven after a two-day hell under an unfamiliar desert sun. Fran had run to assist him as he fell from his tired mount.  
To neither would ever be lost the memory of that first electric glance which passed between them when Jim first awakened from a prolonged delirium and once again saw with the light of reason in his eyes. From then on life for both of them flattened itself out like an unswerving road stretching into infinity, a road they would travel together.  
Fran asked no questions, nor did Jim. In the cool mud building surrounded by miraculously growing yucca trees and mesquite and giant cactus, they might have been in another world. Once a week they drove the 30 miles to the nearest town and mailed their letters and purchased supplies. Outside of that, they were quite alone.

**U**NDER the circumstance, it was to be expected that they'd either become quite bored with each other, or veer to the other extreme. They chose the latter course. It developed that Fran, who was really an exquisite, though slightly case-hardened, young woman, was an actress, off to the wilds for a much-needed vacation.  
Jim, she learned, was a writer who had left the blazing lights of civilization to dissect the life of the Southwest at first hand. Under the influence of a burgeoning love for Fran, and inspired by the old-time tales of the region with which she regaled him, Jim changed from author to playwright, and dramatized the old sagas into plays which Fran rehearsed, to his delight.  
Checks from New York, Los Angeles, Chicago, began to arrive in the weekly mail, along with other less important correspondence. It seemed that the plays were good.  
One evening Fran was looking through the New York paper when she had a picture of a handsome woman and a small boy who very remarkably resembled Jim. The caption divulged that Mrs. James Preston

## BELIEVE IT OR NOT

By RIPLEY



THE SHIP THAT SHOT ITSELF  
THE TORPEDO BOAT OURAGAN FIRED A TORPEDO WHICH REVERSED ITSELF AND SHOT THE SHIP THAT SHOT IT!

**RIPLEY IS A LIAR**  
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—By DANIEL DOCCIO  
ALQUIPPA, Penna.  
A BEER BOTTLE WAS USED AS A ROLLING PIN FOR 36 YEARS—in the home of M.V. HUNT, Sr., Dacusville, S. Carolina  
**AN AIRPLANE LANDS FASTER IN THE DAYTIME THAN AT NIGHT**  
SKANG MERCURIO  
CLEVELAND, OHIO  
BOWLED 99 GAMES  
IN LEAGUE COMPETITION—WITH AN AVERAGE OF 238  
EXPLANATION OF YESTERDAY'S CARTOON  
EVER-RINGING BELL—A bell that has been ringing constantly for the last 96 years is now in Oxford University, and is considered the closest approach to perpetual motion yet constructed. It is described by R. B. Clifton of the Clarendon Laboratory (1915), University Museum, at Oxford in this way:  
"The electric bell-ringing apparatus in this laboratory is described with a figure by Singer in his book entitled 'Elements of Electricity,' published in 1814, and he states that he devised this form of the apparatus as an improvement of a similar one constructed by B. M. Forster. It consists of two vertical dry piles, each about five inches long, and about one-inch diameter. The upper ends—of opposite polarity—are connected by a wire, so forming a single pile. At each of the lower ends is a small bell, and the whole is supported on two short glass rods, covered with sealing wax, under the two bells between them and the wooden base. The piles are covered with a coating of sulphur, which prevents their construction from being seen, but I have no doubt they are made on Zamboni's plan, and I think there must be 2500 elements in each pile. A small brass bell, suspended by a silk thread from the wire joining the upper ends of the piles, oscillates between the bells, the range of motion being very small—about 1/4 in. The apparatus was set up in 1840 and has been ringing ever since without once being repaired."  
TOMORROW: "BLOODIEST SPOT ON EARTH."

**Ned Brant at Carter**—By Bob Zupke  
**A Story of College Athletics**  
GET OUT THERE AGAINST STANISH AND SHOW 'EM HOW BASKETBALL IS REALLY PLAYED! AND IF THEY DON'T THINK YOU'RE GOOD, SHOW 'EM YOUR NEWSPAPER CLIPPINGS!  
HERE COMES CARTER! SWEET LOOKING CUTIE, EH?  
I WISH THEY'D HURRY AND START—I WANT TO SEE BRANT'S BOYS GO!  
HMMMM! ENNIS STARTING AT FORWARD IN PLACE OF RED LIGHT—WONDER WHAT'S THE TROUBLE?  
STANISH POSITION  
Shane FORWARD  
Vale FORWARD  
Hough CENTER  
Wilson GUARD  
Selby GUARD  
Ennis FORWARD  
Wish FORWARD  
Bludgeon FORWARD  
Zech GUARD  
Holstrom GUARD

**Ella Cinders**—By Bill Conselman and Charlie Plumb  
FIRST I GET A RAW DEAL IN COURT AND NOW THIS! ALL I WANT TO DO IS GRAB HER AND PUT THE CUFFS ON HER!  
BOYS, THERE'S JUST ONE THING LEFT TO DO—GRAB HER AND PUT THE CUFFS ON HER!  
YEAH, THAT'S RIGHT! AND ALL YOU HAVE TO DO TO KILL A LION IS TO GRAB IT BY THE MANE AND BREAK ITS NECK!  
FINE BUNCH OF COWARDS Y'RU ARE! NOW COME ON—RUSH IN THERE—PHONE ME AT MY OFFICE—TELL ME YOU WHERE TO TAKE HER!

**The President's JACKSON DAY ADDRESS**  
This address will formally open the 1936 Political Campaign  
TUNE IN  
**KSD**  
Tonight at 9 P. M., St. Louis Time

**WHAT THEY SAY ABOUT "The Cavalcade of America"**  
"We recommend it especially as family entertainment, and advise that the children be allowed to sit up and hear it."  
Women's National Radio Comm.  
A TRIAL FOR ALL THE FAMILY  
THRILLING DRAMA, FINE MUSIC  
**KMOX 7 P. M. TONIGHT**  
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**By Way of Precaution**

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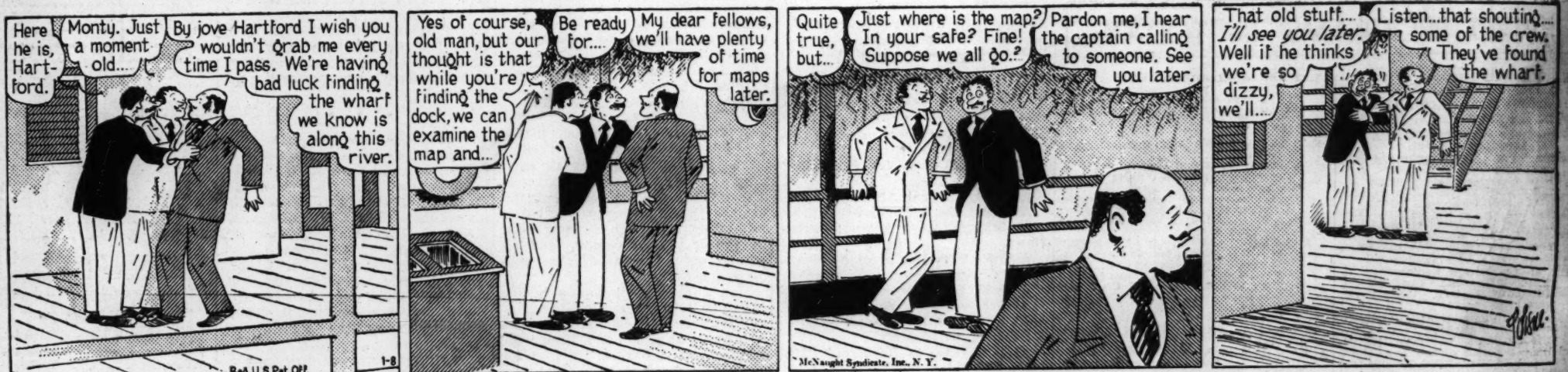
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**The Bungle Family—By Harry J. Tuthill**

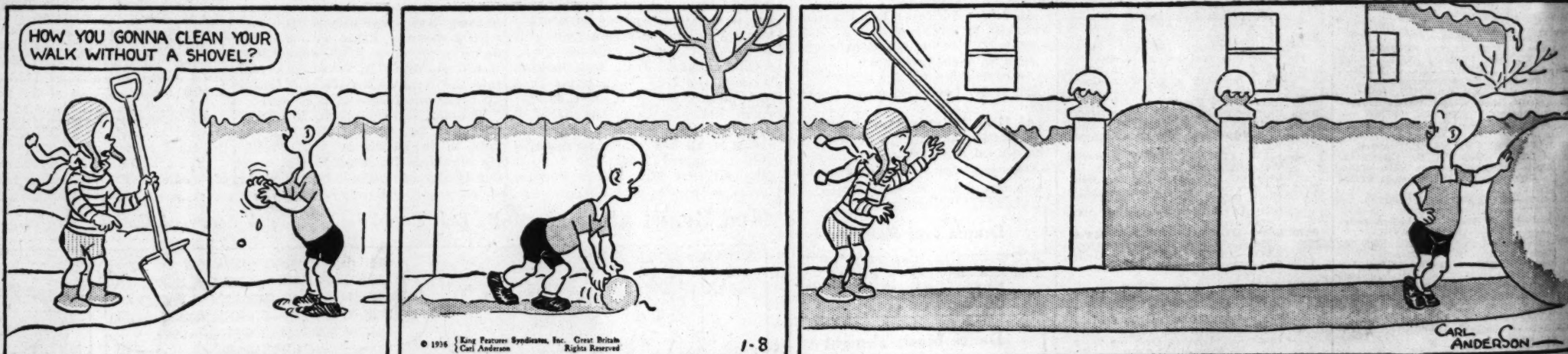
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**Baering Down on the News**

By ARTHUR "BUGS" BAER

THE class in modern history will now step up and take it on the chin.

- 1—If a radio speech passes the House does it then go to the garage or the Senate?
- 2—Do you require 36 radio stations to repeal an amendment?
- 3—How many fan letters does it require to turn a night message into a law?
- 4—What's happened to the NRA? The Greeks had a word for it. But all we got are initials.
- 5—If you think we can be neutral in a world war just tell the teacher what happened to the ginger bread man at the birthday party.



**Li'l Abner—By Al Capp**

**Circus—With a Sideshow**

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**ETHIOPIANS  
SAY ITALIANS  
HAVE QUIT  
ONE SECTOR**

Official Communique Declares Invaders Have Abandoned Positions in Mountainous Tembien Region of North.

**GUERRILLA WARFARE  
ADVISED BY KING**

Runners Tell Chieftains to Avoid Pitched Battles — Blocking of Fascist Offensive Reported at Dolo in South.

ADDIS ABABA, Jan. 9.—The Ethiopian Government announced today the abandonment of the Tembien region of the northern front by the invading Italian army.

Well-informed sources said the Government had received a report that a large-scale Italian advance was frustrated in the Dolo region after an engagement involving more than 100,000 men.

These sources said Ras Desta Dementu, Emperor Haile Selassie's son-in-law, who is commanding the Ethiopian armies of the south, had telegraphed that the Italians had attempted to invade the great valley from Dolo westward to Sidama Province. Sixty thousand Ethiopians defeated 18,000 Italians and 25,000 Somalis in the Dolo region, the report said.

Reports from travelers said many roads between Makale, forward point of the Fascist northern front, Addis Ababa and Debra Tabor, a principal city west of the northern lines, were washed out in many places by heavy rains.

Government sources had already said the Italians quit all their posts in the mountainous Tembien sector, just west of the northern front, two weeks ago.

Today's official communique, issued to confirm this report, said the Fascist evacuation was "precipitous."

"One tank and one truck were abandoned without resistance," the announcement said.

Some Ethiopians had looked for the worst misfortune to come after viewing an eclipse of the moon last night. Superstitious natives believed the eclipse to be "a bad augury and the work of the Italians." After four hours of prayers, however, Ethiopians and Arabs alike were relieved to see the "moon delivered from the hands of Satan."

Order for Guerrilla Warfare.

Imperial couriers have been sent into the far reaches of Ethiopia bearing a sealed command from Emperor Haile Selassie to all his chieftains to persist in their campaign of guerrilla warfare against the Italians. The King, from his imperial headquarters at Dessie, directed the leaders of his soldiers to avoid pitched battles.

The Emperor counseled:

"The present war can be won only by patience and science. Half of our weapons whereby we may attain victory consist in using various stratagems patiently and without haste, in only harassing by sudden attacks in difficult places and in lengthening the time.

"It will mean destruction for our warriors if we should attempt to attack in a body the enemy who has been preparing arms for 40 years. We shall consider the means only whereby we can harm our enemy without injuring ourselves."

Grain for the Troops.

The Emperor outlined a procedure for collecting and distributing grain to the troops. He called for food contributions by the populace in accordance with each person's capacity, and relay of the supplies from province to province, through the supply bureau, to the fronts.

"We have full confidence that the God of our fathers will give us victory and preserve us from this unrighteous foreigner," the Emperor declared.

A letter from Abuna Cyril, high bishop of Ethiopia's Coptic Christian Church, accompanied the Emperor's command and excommunicated all violators of his orders.

Italians Say Their Artillery Routed Enemy Near Makale.

By The Associated Press.

ROME, Jan. 9.—An official communique from Marshal Pietro Badoglio, the high commander in East Africa, says:

"On the front north of Makale

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